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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

REACTION TO PANMUNJOM SHOOTING

Official Denounces Murder

SK270357 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 2215 GMT 25 Nov 84

[Text] Denouncing the U.S. side's grave crime of murdering our guards in the conference room area in Panmunjom, Chon Pok-pin, director of a department of the State Price Regulation Committee, said:

[Begin recording] Upon hearing the news that three guards of our side were murdered [salhae] and one was seriously injured by the U.S. imperialist aggressors, I could not repress my surging rage.

As has been reported, at around 1135 on 23 November, the U.S. side committed an atrocity of firing automatic rifles at a guard of our side who was trying to make a foreign tourist understand the order in the conference room area in Panmunjom.

At that urgent moment when a person fell after being heavily injured, our side requested by a telephone notice the U.S. side to immediately stop shooting, and informed them that unarmed personnel of our side would approach to rescue the wounded person.

Nevertheless, the fiendish wretches again fired M-16 automatic rifles, machine-guns, and even grenade-launchers at our unarmed personnel approaching the heavily wounded person, and committed a brutal atrocity of murder [salin manhaeng] by killing all of them [kudulul mojori salhae]. This is a most vicious atrocity of murder which could be committed only by the U.S. imperialist beasts who are intent on all kinds of atrocities of murder in South Korea.

With surging national indignation, I bitterly denounce the bestial atrocity of murder committed by the wretches.

As the world knows, after the incident on 18 August 1976, the two sides reached an agreement to prevent the recurrence of mishaps in Panmunjom. In particular, this time, even at the moment of such an urgency, our side sent a telephone notice. This notwithstanding, the U.S. imperialist aggressors

fired in volleys even at our personnel wearing armbands. This shows that the mishap occurred this time was the wretches' deliberate and premeditated provocation. Evidence of this is that the wretches brought into the conference room area in advance automatic rifles, machineguns, and even grenade-launchers, which are banned in that area, and deployed some 50 armed personnel.

At a time when the atmosphere of national harmony and unity is being created through the recent North-South economic talks and the preliminary contact between the North-South Red Cross delegates in Panmunjom, the U.S. imperialists have committed such a provocative atrocity of murder. This once again discloses to the world the intensity of the U.S. side's rampage in trying to hurt the atmosphere for peaceful talks and mitigating tensions on the Korean peninsula.

The U.S. imperialists said that excessive expectations over North-South dialogue are taboo, and so on. Thus, they poured cold water over the dialogue. They have beefed up the forces of aggression in South Korea, while continuing war exercises and committing the acts of firing guns and espionage against our side.

The bestial atrocity committed by them this time shows that the U.S. imperialists are continuously seeking aggression and war to block peace of the Korean peninsula and its reunification.

The U.S. imperialists are precisely the ringleader of aggravating tensions on the Korean peninsula, increasing the danger of war, and hampering the reunification of Korea, and are the heinous enemy of all Korean people.

The U.S. side must assume responsibility for their bestial atrocity committed in the conference room area in Panmunjom, sternly punish the criminals, and immediately return the foreign tourist dragged away by force. [end recording]

Coal Miner Denounces Incident

SK250751 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 2300 GMT 25 Nov 84

[Text] The news of the brutal act of murder in the conference room area at Panmunjom by the U.S. imperialist aggressors is now provoking strong fury and indignation among the people of all walks of life.

Comrade Pak Han-sok, a team leader at a pit at the (?Samsip) coal mine, said: The criminal act of brutally killing a number of our security guards in the conference room area at Panmunjom committed by the U.S. imperialists and the puppets can never be tolerated. If they are not the beasts, murderous brigands, and triggers of war, how can they fire so massively, with high-caliber automatic weapons, at our security guards who were on routine duty in broad daylight?

At a time when peaceful talks are being conducted in succession between the North and the South, the U.S. imperialists and the puppets intentionally

committed the firing incident in violation of the Armistice Agreement and the agreements between the two parties to ensure security in the Joint Security Area at Panmunjom. This is an intolerable act of hostility against our republic and a grave military provocative action aggravating tension in Korea. This also shows that the U.S. imperialists' murderous nature has not changed a bit and that, even today, they are waiting for an opportunity to invade the whole of Korea and to slaughter our whole nation under the veil of peace by sitting on half of our country.

How many times has the group of beasts, the U.S. imperialists, committed barbarous acts of slaughtering humans just in our 3,000-ri land? The beastly murderous atrocities committed in occupied areas such as Sinchon by the U.S. imperialists during the Fatherland Liberation War and the tragedy in Kwangju, South Korea, which they instigated the puppets to commit to cite a few examples, are things that send shivers up our spines at the mere thought of them.

The U.S. imperialists have committed numerous barbarous criminal acts at Panmunjom and in the demilitarized zone in the past, having built up such a beastly habit.

As long as the U.S. imperialists remain in South Korea, occupying it by force, our people can never have a moment of comfort and such a tragedy will be likely to occur more frequently.

With heightened vigilance, we will the maneuvers of the U.S. imperialist and the Chon Tu-hwan ring who are running riot in preparations for a war of northward invasion and, if they injudiciously provoke a new, war, we will sternly punish them. [as received]

The U.S. imperialists should take full responsibility for the criminal act of brutally killing our security guards and for the consequences arising therefrom.

People React

SK250720 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 2300 GMT 24 Nov 84

[Text] Comrade An Ki-yong, managing chairman of the Panmunjom Cooperative Farm, Panmun County, said the following: Upon hearing the report on the brutal, barbarous act of murdering and injuring four of our guards by the U.S. imperialists and the puppets in the area of the conference room at Panmunjom, I cannot suppress my surging indignation.

Our cooperative farm members sternly condemn and denounce the rascals' act of murdering and injuring our side's members and aggravating tensions to an extreme point by the grave shooting incident.

The shooting incident perpetrated by the U.S. imperialists in the area of the conference room at Panmunjom is not accidental. We cannot but direct

our attention to the fact that this shooting incident took place when the North-South talks are being successfully held in many fields.

It is, indeed, a deliberate provocation designed to spoil the atmosphere of the North-South talks created and prompted by our compatriotic relief measures for the South Korean flood victims, and to frustrate the people's aspiration for reunification.

The U.S. imperialists poured cold water on dialogue, raving about confrontation by strength whenever an atmosphere conducive to North-South talks was created, and aggravating tension.

Even when North-South economic talks were held for the first time in the nearly 40 years since the nation was divided, the U.S. imperialists, bringing Walker, their ambassador to South Korea, and Livsey, commander of the U.S. imperialist aggressor forces, to the forefront, made them kick off a racket, raving that the excessive expectations concerning the economic talks are bad, that someone is going to invade the South, and so forth. Thus, they advanced the path accelerating arms buildup against southward invasion.

All facts show that the murderous act this time is a product of the U.S. imperialists' unchanged policy of occupying South Korea and their line of war.

Our people will never forget the cursed, barbarous act of killing and injuring even our side's guards perpetrated by the U.S. imperialists and the puppets, who were not satisfied with massacring the people in Kwangju, South Korea. We will take revenge on them without fail.

The U.S. imperialist aggressors and the Chon Tu-hwan clique should apologize for their barbarous, murderous act perpetrated at Panmunjom, punish the criminals, and immediately withdraw from South Korea.

Thus, the report on the barbarous, murderous act perpetrated by the U.S. imperialist aggressors in the area of the conference room at Panmunjom is arousing the indignation of people from all walks of life.

Kim Il-song University Criticism

SK250654 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 2200 GMT 24 Nov 84

[Text] The news about the barbarous atrocities committed by the U.S. imperialists in the conference room area at Panmunjom are now arousing strong outrage among the people of all walks of life.

Comrade O Kil-pang, first deputy president of Kim Il-song University, said:

[Begin recording] The U.S. imperialists, who are running riot to rekindle the flames of another new war in Korea, have once again committed a grave scheme against our side at Panmunjom.

Upon hearing the news of the barbarous killings committed by the U.S. imperialist aggressors in the conference room area at Panmunjom, my heart is now boiling strongly with gushing fury and indignation which I can hardly hold back.

By massively firing upon the personnel of our side, who had not engaged in anything like a surprise attack, and who had gone to the U.S. side even under exigent circumstances after serving notice to the U.S. side, to bring a tourist to his senses and protect him and to rescue some wounded personnel, the U.S. side killed the personnel of our side in broad daylight.

This is a most barbarous act and a tyrannical act violating the Armistice Agreement and the agreements between the two sides. This shows that the U.S. side has now embarked upon the road of violently trampling underfoot even the agreements governing the conference room area.

The U.S. imperialist aggressors' brutal killing of the personnel of our side through military action is an intentional and premeditated criminal act designed to undermine, at all costs, the atmosphere for peaceful talks that is being created.

The grave military action committed by the U.S. imperialist aggressors is now causing gushing outrage among our people and the world's peace-loving people. The U.S. imperialist aggressors are using every means, and unscrupulously committing shameful maneuvers to create an excuse to provoke a new war in Korea.

The whole world is now watching the development of the situation in Korea and all people who value peace are strongly denouncing the U.S. imperialists' reckless game of playing with fire.

For the preservation and solidification of peace in Korea, the U.S. imperialists should act judiciously. The U.S. imperialists are the brigands and (?source of war) that unscrupulously use any shameful means to ignite the flames of war in Kora.

I sternly condemn and denounce the vicious war provocation schemes of the U.S. imperialists, who are destroying the Armistice Agreement and who are trying to provoke another war in Korea by repeatedly fabricating provocative incidents.

Whatever efforts they may employ, the U.S. imperialists will noever be able to cloak their dirty nature as the disturber of peace and provocateur of war. The U.S. imperialists should take full responsibility for the grave consequences resulting from their reckless provocative acts before our people and in the face of world opinion. [End recording]

Construction Workers Comment

SK260728 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 1818 GMT 25 Nov 84

[Text] The U.S. imperialist aggressors' criminal act of murder [salhae] of our guards in the area of the conference room of the Joint Security Area in Panmunjom has aroused the uncontrollable rage of our people.

Comrade Kim Chol-won of the Southern Housing Construction Office said:

[Begin Kim recording] As has already been reported, the U.S. imperialist aggressors have committed a grave act of firing guns at the guards of our side in the area of the conference room of the Joint Security Area in Panmunjom.

In the wake of the shooting by the U.S. imperialist aggressors, three guards of our side were murdered [salhae], and one was injured. This is the most bestial act, and a wild violation of the Armistice Agreement and other agreements between the two sides. Accordingly, we sternly denounce this act committed by the wretches.

The wretches' act has now aroused the uncontrollable rage of our construction workers and all our people.

The wretches' act is an act of robbery in broad daylight that can be committed only by the U.S. imperialist beasts, who are intent on aggression and (?war).

The wretches dragged away, by the arm, a foreign tourist who unexpectedly crossed the Demarcation Line (?drawn in the conference room area), and fired at the guards of our side who approached to warn him and protect his safety.

Under those circumstances, our side, in a telephone notice, requested that the enemy side stop shooting, and informed it that unarmed personnel of our side would cross the Demarcation Line in order to rescue the wounded personnel of our side. Nevertheless, they fired several hundred rounds of bullets and grenades by mobilizing M-16 automatic rifles, machineguns, and even grenade-launchers.

Our personnel did not attack the enemy but crossed the Demarcation Line only to rescue our guard who fell as a result of shooting by the U.S. side, while trying to warn the tourist and protect his safety. But the U.S. imperialist aggressors murdered [salhae] them by firing at them in broad daylight. This is the most bestial act, and a wild violation of the Armistice Agreement and other agreements between the two sides.

The brutalities of the U.S. imperialist aggressors have been fully disclosed by their firing at the unarmed guards of our side. This shows that the U.S. imperialist aggressors have now come to violate even the agreements concerning the conference area.

As everyone knows, peaceful North-South talks are being held in Panmunjom. It is precisely under these circumstances that the U.S. imperialist aggressors murdered [salhae] our personnel in a brutal act of shooting. This is considered as a deliberate and premeditated criminal act aimed at hampering the creation of an atmosphere for mitigating tension and for peaceful talks. This makes us even more enraged.

The U.S. imperialist aggressors must assume all responsibilities for the incident, sternly punish the criminals who committed the bestial act, and immediately return the tourist who they dragged away by force. We sternly denounce the U.S. imperialist aggressors' brutalities. [End recording]

Functionary Scores Incident

SK260430 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 1110 GMT 24 Nov 84

[Text] Our people are boiling over with rage at the U.S. imperialist aggressors' 23 November barbarous homicidal brutality against the guards of our side in the conference room district in Panmunjom. Kim Hak-chu, bureau chief of the Materials Supply Department said:

[Begin Kim recording] Through newspaper and radio reports, I heard the news of the U.S. imperialist aggressors' grave gun-firing provocation against the guards of our side on the morning of 23 November in the area of the conference room in the Joint Security Area [JSA] in Panmunjom. Upon hearing this news, I cannot suppress my surging national indignation.

On that day, the U.S. imperialist aggressors fired guns, sacrificing three guards of our side and wounding one. Foreign tourists of our side were in the area of the conference room in Panmunjom for inspection. The guards of the U.S. imperialist aggressive forces fired automatic weapons with no good reason when the guards of our side approached a foreign tourist who was mistakenly transgressing the Military Demarcation Line, in order to protect his safety. They fired hundreds of volleys of bullets and grenades by using M-16 automatic weapons, machineguns and even grenade launchers, and held battle position and expanded firing by dragging in armed forces numbering some 50 into the JSA.

The U.S. side's firing at the personnel of our side in broad daylight, murdering [salhae] them, is a most barbarous act and a flagrant violation of the Military Armistice Agreement and the mutual agreement. This clearly shows that the U.S. side is flagrantly violating even the agreement regarding the area of the conference room.

As is well known, after our side's relief goods, embodying sincerity, were delivered to the South Korean flood victims, North-South peaceful talks are being held continuously in Panmunjom. The U.S. aggressors' barbarous murdering [salhae] at this very time, of the personnel of our side is a criminal act designed to disturb by any means the developing of the atmosphere for relaxation of tension and holding of peaceful talks in our country. All our functionaries of the Materials Supply Department strongly denounce the U.S. aggressors.

Considering all the circumstances, this is not an accidental incident, but a premeditated and deliberate criminal act. The U.S. aggressors' grave criminal act is arousing burning rage in the Korean people and the peace-loving people of the world.

The U.S. side should bear full responsibility for the consequences of this incident. The U.S. side should apologize for the barbarous act, sternly punish the criminals, and immediately and unconditionally return the foreign tourist whom it forcibly dragged away.

We again strongly denounce the U.S. side's grave act and solemnly warn the U.S. imperialist aggressors not to repeat such a criminal act as this.
[end recording]

Pyongyang Vice Chairman

SK280755 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 0510 GMT 26 Nov 84

[Text] South Korean compatriots: In this hour we will carry a reaction entitled "The Grave Act of Provocation Committed by the U.S. Imperialist Aggressors Cannot Be Tolerated."

Choe Yong-sun, vice chairman of the Pyongyang City People's Committee, speaks:

[Choe Yong-sun] The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song has taught: Due to the maneuvers of the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean fascist military elements, a dangerous situation in which a war may break out at any moment has been created in our country.

As has been reported, on 23 November, in the conference room area around the MAC headquarters in Panmunjom, the U.S. imperialist aggressors committed a grave act of provocation by murdering [salhae] three guards of our side and injuring one seriously by firing guns at them.

The foreign tourist, who intentionally crossed the Central Demarcation Line, was the one who was not fully aware of the order in the Joint Security Area, and was entirely unfamiliar with the area.

Therefore, U.S. guards should have returned him to us, after warning him. On the contrary, the U.S. guards dragged him away by the arm. Moreover, they fired guns at our guard and felled him, when he approached the tourist to help him. The U.S. imperialist troops of aggression murdered other guards of our side by mobilizing M-16 automatic rifles, machineguns, and even grenade-launchers, although our side requested in a telephone notice that the enemy side stop shooting, and informed that unarmed personnel would cross the Military Demarcation Line to rescue the wounded person. The wretches even fired guns at our operative personnel wearing yellow armbands.

Still unsatisfied with this, the U.S. imperialist aggressors brought into the conference room area in Panmunjom some 50 armed rascals, prepared in advance, in order to further aggravate the incident. The rascals were armed with automatic rifles, which were banned to be brought into the area.

The act of provocation which the U.S. imperialist aggressors committed this time is the most bestial and outrageous act, and shows that the wretches have now come to violate even the agreement on the safety in the Joint Security Area. It was a deliberate and systematic crime.

As everyone knows, North-South dialogue has begun at long last, and, thus, peaceful North-South talks are held one after the other.

Under these circumstances, the U.S. imperialist aggressors committed a brutal murder of our personnel in the area where the talks are held. This is a grave grime aimed at blocking the creation of the atmosphere for alleviating tensions and for peaceful talks.

Some time ago, U.S. Ambassador in Seoul Walker gibbered that excessive expectations are taboo over North-South economic talks, and Livsey, commander of the U.S. Forces in South Korea, instigated confrontation by babbling about complete readiness, modernization of the puppet forces, and so on.

It is certain the U.S. imperialists are atrociously scheming to pour cold water over our people's desire for reunification and put the brake on the progress of North-South talks.

The Panmunjom incident was a part of the schemes of the wretches. The U.S. imperialists are the ringleader of deliberately aggravating the situation of our country and atrociously blocking the peaceful reunification of Korea.

Our people are unable to repress their surging indignation over the grave act of provocation committed in Panmunjom by the U.S. imperialist aggressors, and are heightening their vigilance on the wretches' seeking of a war of northward invasion and bringing the situation to a stage of extreme adventurism.

The U.S. side must assume due responsibility for a brutal murder of our personnel, who were performing their routine duties, and for dragging the foreign tourist away by force.

The U.S. imperialists must not aggravate the situation in Korea and create obstacles on the road to peaceful reunification but withdraw from South Korea, taking along all lethal weapons and aggressive troops, in accordance with the unanimous demand of our people and the peace-loving peoples of the world.

Security Force Member

SK270711 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 0610 GMT 26 Nov 84

[Text] The news about the brutal murder [salhae] which the U.S. imperialist aggressors committed in the conference room area in Panmunjom has aroused the surging rage of the people of all strata.

Comrade Pak Chong-po, a company commander of the Korean People's Security Forces, said:

[Begin Pak recording] Our guards of the People's Security Forces have heard with the surging rage and indignation the KCNA report about the grave murdering of our guards by the U.S. side in the conference room area in Panmunjom.

The brutal slaughter [slayuk] which the U.S. imperialist troops of aggression committed is a wild provocation violating the Armistice Agreement and other agreements between the two sides on the safety in the Joint Security Area in Panmunjom.

Moreover, at a time when peaceful North-South talks are being held in the conference room in Panmunjom, the U.S. imperialist troops of aggression have committed such a grave act of murder [salin].

This is the most shameless criminal act aimed at blocking the creation of an atmosphere for alleviating tensions in our country and for peaceful talks.

The U.S. imperialist troops of aggression dragged a foreign tourist away by force, who intentionally crossed the Military Demarcation Line drawn in the conference room [as heard], because he was not fully aware of the order in the Joint Security Area, and wantonly fired automatic weapons at our guard who was trying to warn and protect the tourist.

In this unexpected situation, our side requested in a telephone notice that the enemy side stop shooting, and informed it that our unarmed personnel would cross the Military Demarcation Line in order to rescue the wounded person of our side.

Nevertheless, the U.S. imperialist troops of aggression fired several hundred rounds of bullets and grenades by mobilizing automatic rifles, machineguns, and even grenade-launchers.

Moreover, when the incident had occurred, the U.S. side brought into the Joint Security Area some 50 personnel armed with automatic rifles by using a large vehicle which it had prepared for use in advance. The armed personnel were put in a combat position, and the shooting was further intensified.

Our personnel did not attack the enemy and our guard only tried to warn and protect the foreign tourist, and our personnel crossed the Military Demarcation Line after sending a notice to the enemy side even in the situation of such an urgency. But the U.S. side murdered [salhae] them by firing guns in volleys at them in broad daylight.

This has fully disclosed the nature of the U.S. imperialist aggressors as hooligans.

We have been really astonished, because the U.S. imperialist troops of aggression, in murdering our personnel, used automatic rifles, machineguns, and even grenade-launchers which are banned in the conference rooms area in Panmunjom.

All in all, this shooting incident can only be regarded as a crime which the wretches committed deliberately and premeditatedly.

Bitterly denouncing the wretches' fiendish murder [salin], our guards of the People's Security Forces are more firmly seizing their revolutionary weapons. We will not loosen the tense and mobilized posture at all and will keenly watch every act of the enemy. We will defend our socialist fatherland as a fortress, which has been founded by the great leader, and has been further glorified by the dear Comrade Kim Chong-il [as heard].

Worker on Incident

SK270257 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 0809 GMT 25 Nov 84

[Remark by Han Tok-chan, a worker at the Kim Chong-tae locomotive plant]

[Text] The provocation of murdering our side's security personnel by the U.S. imperialist aggressors on 23 November at the conference site in the Joint Security Area at Panmunjom has aroused the surging resentment of the people at home and abroad. Comrade Han Tok-chan, a worker at the Kim Chong-tae locomotive plant, says:

[Being recording] On 23 November, the U.S. imperialist aggressors gravely fired at our side's security personnel at the conference site in the Joint Security Area at Panmunjom. Three security personnel of our side died and one was injured by the firing of the U.S. imperialist aggressors. Such an act committed by the U.S. imperialist aggressors is a most barbarous one outrageously violating the Armistice Agreement and an agreement reached by both sides.

We resolutely denounce such a barbarous homicidal act of the rascals. The recent homicide [salin] committed by the U.S. imperialist aggressors has aroused the great resentment of our working class. The bestial and brazen act committed by the rascals is an intolerable one which can be found only among the U.S. imperialist aggressors.

The rascals took away a foreign tourist who had unintentionally crossed the Military Demarcation Line a little and fired at our side's security personnel approaching him to tell him about his mistake and to protect his personal safety. Even though our side's personnel telephoned the enemy side and requested a ceasefire and notified them that unarmed personnel would cross the Military Demarcation Line to save our just [chongdanghan] personnel,

the U.S. imperialist aggressors fired hundreds of rounds of M-16 automatic rifles, machineguns, and even launchers. Firing in broad daylight, U.S. imperialist aggressors murdered our side's personnel who, instead of assaulting the enemy side, had approached to save our side's security personnel lying on the ground after being shot and to remind a tourist of his mistake for his own safety, after sending a notification to the U.S. side under an exigent circumstance. This is a most barbarous act and an outrageous violation of the Armistice Agreement, and an agreement reached by both sides. This also shows that the U.S. imperialist aggressors have entered the road toward violating an agreement concerning the conference site.

As is known widely, the U.S. imperialist aggressors' barbarous murdering of our side's personnel by firing at them at a time when peaceful talks are being held at Panmunjom is a deliberate and premeditated crime designed to hinder at any cost the creation of peaceful talks and an atmosphere alleviating tension, thus further arousing our resentment.

I believe that we will never tolerate the U.S. imperialist aggressors' homicide of our side's security personnel at Panmunjom.

The U.S. imperialist aggressors should stop such a brazen crime and immediately withdraw from South Korea. [end recording]

'Deliberate' Provocative Act

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[Unattributed commentary: "A Deliberate Provocative Act of Aggravating the Strained Situation"]

[Text] On 23 November, the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets committed the criminal act of bestially murdering guards of our side who were carrying out a routine mission in the conference room district of Panmunjom. This is arousing unanimous hatred and indignation from the world's peace-loving people as well as from our people.

The conference room district of Panmunjom is a place where contacts and dialogue between the North and the South have been held in succession. Such being the case, the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets triggered a large-scale shooting incident and perpetrated a bestial and murderous act. This was a deliberate and premeditated military provocative act aimed at aggravating the tense situation in Korean and destroying an atmosphere for dialogue. This is well shown by the fact the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets had dragged in automatic rifles, machineguns, and even grenade launchers, whose introduction in the conference room district is banned, in advance and that, when the incident took place, they further expanded firing by throwing 50 heavily armed personnel into the district using trucks which they had put on alert.

The shooting incident was never an accidental incident. Whenever an atmosphere for dialogue has been created in our country and indications of the relaxation of tension have been seen, the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets have intentionally aggravated the strained situation, clamoring about a showdown of strength, and have thrown a cold blanket over dialogue. This is one of their stereotyped tricks.

When the historic 4 July North-South Joint Communiqué, whose basic contents were the three great principles of independence, peace, and great national unity, was made public and dialogue to implement the points agreed upon in the joint communiqué was provided in the early 1970's, the U.S. imperialists egged the puppets on to a confrontation of strength with us, saying that they had no plan to reduce the number of U.S. troops stationed in South Korea and they would continue to push ahead with their plan to modernize the puppet army.

The 18 August provocation incident, which the U.S. imperialists caused in the Joint Security Area in Panmunjom on 18 August 1976, was also a part of such maneuvers.

In the early 1980's when the former dictator was removed and voices demanding the democratization of society and the reunification of the country were growing extraordinarily, the U.S. imperialists deliberately strained the situation by massing armed forces of aggression and military equipment in South Korea and its vicinal waters; threatened with armed force the people demanding independence, democracy, and reunification; and blocked the road of North-South contact.

Recently, Walker, U.S. ambassador in South Korea, warned that over expectation from North-South economic talks is a taboo and Livsey, commander of the U.S. Forces occupying South Korea, said that U.S. assistance for the modernization of the South Korean puppet army would invariably continue. This was a deliberate scheme to impeded the progress of dialogue and strain the situation on the Korean peninsula.

These maneuvers by the U.S. imperialists, who have hindered North-South dialogue and contact, show that they indeed seek only confrontation and war while paying lip service to peace in Korea and North-South dialogue.

In reality, even these days when North-South dialogue and contact have been made, the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets have constantly aggravated tension, accelerating war preparations. On 23 November when they perpetrated the shooting incident in the conference room district of Panmunjom, the U.S. imperialists and their lackeys committed a grave military provocation of firing large-caliber machineguns at a guard post of our side along the Military Demarcation Line on the eastern sector of the front. The shooting incident perpetrated in the conference room district of Panmunjom was precisely a part of such military provocations and war moves which the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets had committed behind the curtain of North-South dialogue.

All facts clearly show once again who seeks permanent division and war in Korea today and where the danger of war hanging over the Korean peninsula originates.

As long as the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets persist in increasing the danger of war and aggravating the situation in our country, no one can guarantee that such a shooting incident will not occur again.

Our people will never tolerate and overlook the outrageous murderous atrocity of the U.S. imperialist murderous devils and the Chon Tu-hwan ring.

The criminals must be dragged onto a scaffold and a deserved punishment must be meted out to the wretches.

The U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets must not run wild indiscriminately and must apologize for the criminal act of having bestially murdered and injured our side's guards, banish the criminals, and immediately return the tourist who was dragged away by force.

If they turn away from our just demands, the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets will be subjected to greater denunciation and hatred from the people at home and abroad.

Incident Condemned

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[Unattributed talk: "Deliberate and Premeditated War Provocation Maneuvers"]

[Text] The criminal atrocity of the U.S. imperialist aggressors and the South Korean puppets of barbarously security guards of our side in the Panmunjom conference room area on 23 November has aroused surging indignation among our people and world's people.

The 23 November Panmunjom shooting incident was by no means accidental but rather a deliberate and premeditated military provocation designed to aggravate tension in Korea.

The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song has taught: While talking about peace in Korea, the U.S. Government has in fact no interest in peace in Korea.

The perpetration of this provocative incident in Panmunjom at a time when the curtain of dialogue has been raised at the Panmunjom conference room to improve and develop North-South relations is clear proof that the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets have no intention of improving relations between the North and the South.

Whenever public opinion calling for a peaceful solution of the Korean problem has increased at home and abroad, the rascals have fabricated a series of provocation incidents in a bid to aggravate the situation.

The Panmunjom provocation incident perpetrated in August 1976 was also part of these maneuvers.

Recently, Walker, U.S. ambassador to South Korea, uttered violent remarks viciously denouncing and slandering us, babbling that excessive expectation from the current North-South talks should be avoided. On the other hand, Livsey, commander of the U.S. Forces occupying South Korea, clamored that U.S. support for the modernization program of the South Korean puppet army will also continue in the future. This was not only tantamount to a U.S. directive regulating in advance the posture that the South Korean puppets should take in North-South talks, but was also a tactic designed to block the progress of the talks.

In reality, the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets are accelerating war preparations in earnest by reinforcing their aggressive force of arms epochally.

Numerous military airplanes from Okinawa and the Clark Air Base in the Philippines are flying into South Korea in succession. Numerous naval ships of the U.S. imperialists, including the Blue Ridge, the flagship of the U.S. 7th Fleet, are concentrating in the waters off South Korea. Last October, one South Korean puppet army division moved from a rear area to the central sector of the frontline for combat deployment.

In November, the chief of staff of the U.S. Air Force, the commander of the U.S. Air Force in the Pacific, and many other U.S. military bosses sneaked into South Korea to hold conspiratorial war conferences. Along with this, the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets staged a large-scale offensive exercise against us almost every day on the east and west coasts and in the central sector of the frontline in South Korea. The U.S. imperialists and their stooges also perpetrated the grave military provocation of opening gun and large-scale machinegun firing at a guard post of our side on the Military Demarcation Line area in the east sector of the frontline.

The provocative incident perpetrated this time by the U.S. imperialist aggressors and the South Korean puppets in the Panmunjom conference room area shows precisely the graveness and dangerousness of their policy of confrontation of force and war.

The U.S. imperialists, who came to the conference room of the MAC at the strong request of our side, deployed a large number of armed security guards around the conference room and slandered us again, like a thief turning on the owner. This is a hackneyed tactic employed by provocators in fabricating an incident.

However, no matter how desperately the provocators run shamelessly wild to distort the truth and to reverse black and white, they can by no means evade their responsibility.

The U.S. imperialist aggressors and the South Korean puppets should apologize for their criminal acts of having barbarously murdered security guards

of our side in the Panmunjom conference room area and should punish those involved in the act of murder.

If the U.S. imperialists and the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique, their stooges, continuously perpetrate aggression and provocations against us despite our repeated warnings, they will not be able to escape stern punishment.

Incident 'Stereotyped Trick'

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[Unattributed talk: "The Stereotyped Trick of Aggressors"]

[Text] The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song has taught: Today, because of the new war provocation maneuvers of the U.S. imperialists and their lackeys, the danger of the outbreak of war at any moment has been created in our country.

Because of the new war provocation maneuvers of the U.S. imperialists and their stooges, an extremely dangerous situation in which war may break out at any moment has been created in our country.

As is already known, the U.S. imperialist aggressors and the South Korean puppet army perpetrated a murderous atrocity of killing three and seriously injuring one by opening firing at guards of our side in the conference room area in the MAC headquarters of Panmunjom on 23 November—an atrocity which incurs the wrath of heaven and man.

On 26 November, the U.S. imperialist aggressors perpetrated a grave provocative act again. The U.S. imperialists, who came to the 426th MAC meeting one day later than the date requested by our side, dragged 90 armed personnel more than the regulated number into the conference room district before the meeting and deployed machineguns in the buildings beside the conference room. At the same time, one of the U.S. imperialist aggressors threatened personnel of our side, drawing his pistol and pretending to fire at them.

Even at the meeting to discuss the problem of the shooting incident perpetrated by them, the U.S. imperialist aggressors triggered provocations. This graphically showed how reckless a stage their new war provocation maneuvers have reached and exposed once again their nature as aggressors and warmaniacs.

While paying lip service to peace in Korea and dialogue, the U.S. imperialists are, indeed, scheming not for dialogue or peace but for war. By further straining the situation in our country through the shocking incident, the U.S. imperialists are trying to perpetuate division and achieve their purpose of aggression by frustrating the atmosphere for the hard-won North-South dialogue which was provided thanks to our sincere and patient efforts. This is a hackneyed trick which the U.S. imperialists have used whenever the spirit of peaceful reunification has grown in our country.

In January 1968, the U.S. imperialists infiltrated the "Pueblo," an armed spy ship, into the territorial waters of our country for [words indistinct] advantage of the KPA's capture of it, the U.S. imperialists led the situation in our country to an extreme pitch of strain. The wretches held meetings of a so-called National Security Council everyday and clamored about military retaliation against us. Also, they fanatically perpetrated military provocations against us. Also, they fanatically perpetrated military provocations against the northern half of the republic in the sky and sea and on the ground by urgently mobilizing and sending warships, including the nuclear-propelled aircraft carrier "Enterprise," into the waters off our country. Around the time of the "Pueblo" incident, the U.S. imperialists perpetrated many kinds of military provocations on an average of 25 times a day on the ground alone. However, the U.S. imperialists could not alarm our people by any threat or blackmail, and, rather, had to acknowledge their act of aggression and espionage and sign a document of apology.

Instead of learning a proper lesson from the "Pueblo" incident, the U.S. imperialists again perpetrated a grave provocative act of infiltrating a large spy plane "EC-121" deeply into the territorial airspace of our country in April 1969.

The nature of the U.S. imperialists as aggressors and provokers was exposed by the Panmunjom incident on 18 August 1976. At that time, the U.S. imperialists, who triggered provocation, also tried to put the blame for it onto us, to make the U.S. imperialist assume a combat posture by issuing an order of so-called emergency standby, and to ignite a war of aggression against us.

The recent grave shooting incident perpetrated in the conference room district of the MAC headquarters at Panmunjom is part of U.S. war maneuvers and is a part of criminal maneuvers to kindle war.

However, the U.S. imperialists clearly recognize that with no maneuvers can they alarm our people. If they dare to trigger a new war in defiance of warnings, they will meet only corpses and death. The U.S. imperialists must give up a foolish wild desire for aggression, look straight at reality, and act with discretion.

Agricultural Worker

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[Speech by Kim Yong-hui, representative of agricultural workers, at the Pyongyang City Mass Rally held at the Central Workers' Hall on the afternoon of 27 November--recorded]

[Text] All of you: I am going to add our agricultural workers' voices of hatred to the voices of the Pyongyang citizens denouncing the barbarous acts of the U.S. imperialist aggressors and the South Korean puppets who cruelly murdered [muchamhi salhaehada] the beloved soldiers of the People's Army.

When the people in the northern half of the republic are rejoicing over the bumper harvest everywhere, when economic and Red Cross talks were being held between the North and the South upon the opportunity of offering our relief goods for the South Korean flood victims for the first time in nearly 40-year history of the nation's division, and when all fellow countrymen are overflowing with expectations of reunification, the report that precious soldiers of the People's Army were victimized by the bestial U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppet clique drives us to deep sadness.

Our agricultural workers will never tolerate the criminal acts of the devilish killers [salinma] who by firing automatic rifles, machineguns, and grenade launchers in daylight cruelly murdered [salyuk] and seriously wounded four of our guards who were safeguarding the land of the nation at Panmunjom for the fatherly leader and the glorious party and for the dignity and peace of the republic.

First of all, I sternly denounce the rascals' atrocious murderous acts with surging national indignation and burning antagonism toward the bestial U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets who cruelly murdered [muchamhi salhaehada] Hong Song-mun, Yung Kyong-chun, and Kim Chong-chol, who were our beloved revolutionary comrades. [applause]

Panmunjom is part of the two lands of our fatherland, which should not be separated from each other, and is not a U.S. land where the U.S. rascals are allowed to run wild. Indiscriminately firing at Korean people and perpetrating a murderous act are illegal and criminal acts.

However, appearing at the conference venue of the MAC, the rascals attempted to shift the responsibility onto us, the victims, and acted shamelessly, not apologizing for their crimes.

Originally, the U.S. imperialists were the cannibals who slaughtered [tosalhada] and expelled the American natives. They are war criminals who triggered war on our land during the Fatherland Liberation War period and destroyed peaceful cities and farms, and they are jackals who indiscriminately killed [salyukhada] innocent residents everywhere in Korea.

We still hear the sorrowful cries for their mothers of the children who were confined in a dugout in the land of Suncheon; and we still remember the miserable figures of some 400 mothers who were burned to death in a gunpowder warehouse.

The U.S. imperialists, devilish killers who indiscriminately tore the Korean people to death, burned them to death, and buried them alive, are taking numerous lives of our innocent brothers and fellow countrymen in South Korea.

It is none other than the U.S. imperialist murderers who immersed Kwangju in a sea of blood by mobilizing tanks, armored cars, airplanes, and even missiles to the city of resistance when patriotic students, citizens, and peasants in the Cholla provinces rose up in a heroic resistance struggle, instigating Chon Tu-hwan and raving about suppression by the iron fist.

This time, they took away even the precious lives of our fighters who were carrying out a routine mission by firing automatic rifles, openly violating the Armistice Agreement and mutual agreements in the Joint Security Area at Panmunjom.

How can we remain silent, not taking revenge on them? We will take revenge without fail a hundred and a thousand times on the U.S. imperialist aggressors, our sworn enemy who cruelly murdered our guards, our beloved brothers, and the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique and will receive back the price of blood.
[shouting of slogans]

The enemy is miscalculating. No matter what dark clouds of war they may bring to us, they cannot (?threaten) our people. The U.S. imperialists and their stooges should not run wild, but act with discretion. If the enemy provoke us again, we will inflict stern punishment upon the enemy rascals a thousand times to safeguard the lands of the beloved fatherland and the dignity of our glorious party which (?enables) us to reap a bumper harvest every year and of the fatherland. [applause]

[The U.S. imperialist aggressors and the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique should unconditionally apologize for the barbarous murderous act perpetrated in Panmunjom, sternly punish the criminals, and immediately return our side's foreign tourist who they took away forcibly.]

Cherishing surging revengeful thoughts against the U.S. imperialists and their stooges, our agricultural workers will more vigorously advance with the brilliant banner of the agricultural thesis elucidated by the great leader to attain the agricultural production target in the ten major prospective goals for the 1980's ahead of schedule and to achieve national reunification at an early date. [shouting of slogans]

Workers Representative

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[Speech by Kim Pong-sok, workers representative, at the Pyongyang City mass rally held at the Central Workers' Hall on 27 November--recorded]

[Text] Comrades: At this moment when the whole country is writhing with surging indignation and all brethren are seething with hatred, I have come to this rostrum with the firm determination to wield the iron hammer of stern revenge against the U.S. imperialists, the devilish killers, and their stooges.

Who on earth has given the U.S. rascals the right to sneak into our land and to perpetrate beast-like atrocities against our Korean people? Even at this moment, we can hear the voices informing us of the KCNA statement issued to condemn the devilish U.S. killers and provocateurs and the voices of the indignation of our People's Army soldiers at the funeral ceremony to bid the last farewell to their murdered revolutionary comrades-in-arms.

The blood in our hearts boils as we think of the murderous incident. Where else on earth are there such bloodsuckers and devilish killers as the U.S. rascals who so mercilessly and shamelessly murdered in broad daylight even operative personnel who are guaranteed freedom to act in the Joint Security Area [JSA] at Panmunjom?

Why on earth did our security guards, who acted [word indistinct] to protect a foreign tourist in the JSA at Panmunjom, have to shed blood and sacrifice their precious lives to the bullets fired by the U.S. imperialist rascals?

The open murderous act perpetrated by the U.S. imperialist aggressors and the South Korean puppets at Panmunjom is a criminal act which could only be committed by the descendants of the cannibals who wantonly slaughtered the American natives and who have grown fat using their bodies as base manure, and by the national butchers who brutally murdered the masses in Kwangju city. [shouting of slogans]

The barbarous murderous atrocity perpetrated in the Panmunjom conference room area where dialogue between the North and the South has been held in succession is a deliberate and premeditated provocative act designed to aggravate tension in Korea and to rupture this dialogue.

Our nation welcomed the recent dialogue between the North and the South at Panmunjom which was opened by our positive initiative and efforts. We, the working class, have ardently waited for the day when North-South economic talks would be held successfully in order to jointly develop country's natural resources and jointly catch fish in a joint fishing zone with South Korean workers and fishermen. This notwithstanding, the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets murdered our comrades and have thus very much worsened the atmosphere of peace, thereby leading the situation to the brink of war. How can we tolerate this?

The murderous act perpetrated by the U.S. imperialists and their stooges in Panmunjom clearly showed that the U.S. imperialists and the Chon Tu-hwan clique do not want dialogue, peace, and reunification.

We, the working class, cannot repress our indignation against the U.S. imperialists and their stooges when we think of their murderous atrocity.

The U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppet clique have perpetrated anticommunist rackets and premeditated provocations against our side while accelerating war preparations whenever an indication of the alleviation of tension between the North and the South has appeared and whenever an atmosphere of peace has been created in this land.

The peace that has been maintained so far on the Korean peninsula is totally thanks to our patient self-restraint and peaceloving efforts. Nevertheless, the U.S. imperialists and their stooges kicked off a fire hazard this time and then cunningly schemed to extricate themselves from the responsibility for their crime by preposterously babbling that our side violated the Armistice agreement, that dialogue has been endangered, and so forth.

This shameless act of trying to shift responsibility onto others after having committed a crime is precisely like a thief turning on the owner.

Together with the voices of indignation of the entire Pyongyang City working class, I bitterly punish and condemn the murderous atrocity of the U.S. imperialists and their stooges of brutally slaughtering security guards of our side at Panmunjom while perpetrating reckless provocations against our side there, declaring it a grave criminal act designed to destroy peace in Korea and to hamper North-South dialogue. [Cheers and shouting of slogans]

The U.S. imperialist aggressors, who have sneaked into another's country and perpetrated all sorts of murderous atrocities, and their stooges will never go unpunished.

The situation has become acute and extremely tense. In the face of the grave situation of war or peace, we sternly warn the U.S. imperialist aggressors and the South Korean puppets. The rascals should clearly know that if they continue to aggravate the situation on the Korean peninsula by kicking off such a provocation as the Panmunjom shooting incident despite our repeated warnings, they will have to pay dearly for it.

The U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets should apologize for the murderous atrocity they perpetrated in Panmunjom and guarantee not to perpetrate military provocations again.

The iron-like fists of our workers are ready to deal merciless punishment for revenge to the enemies at any time. We, the working class, and our people are the dignified people who know how to calculate the price of the blood of the sacrificed revolutionary comrades-in-arms.

We, the working class, will more firmly rally around the great leader and the dear Comrade Kim Chong-il and will counter the reckless war provocation maneuvers of the U.S. imperialists and their stooges with a high revolutionary sense of vigilance.

Let us destroy the U.S. imperialist aggressors, the implacable enemy of the Korean people! [shouting of slogans]

Student Representative

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[Speech by Yi Il-hwan, representative of youths and students, at the Pyongyang City mass rally held at the Central Workers' Hall on 27 November--recorded]

[Text] I still hear the cursed shots of the U.S. imperialist aggressors who took the lives of our sides' guards. We could hardly believe the report that shots of killing men in broad daylight resounded from Panmunjom where voices aspiring for reunification through collaboration and exchanges were resounding, and that the courageous fighters of our People's Army had fallen, shedding blood.

Who on earth perpetrated such a (?barbarous) act, arousing surging indignation of the nation and people, and who on earth are the criminals who should be deservedly cursed and denounced by the (?people) of the world?

They are none other than the U.S. imperialist aggressors and their stooge, the Chon Tu-hwan puppet traitor. These criminals immersed the streets of Kwangju, the city of resistance, in the blood of patriotic citizens. Today, they committed the criminal act of murdering [salhae] our beloved brothers in the conference room area at Panmunjom, the center of the Military Demarcation Line. They are shamelessly maneuvering to escape the responsibility for their crimes. Are there any more shameless and brigandish criminals in the world than they?

As pointed out in the KCNA statement, whenever an atmosphere of easing tensions and of national unity has been created, the U.S. imperialists have blocked it. The incident of murder at Panmunjom perpetrated by them this time is also part of such maneuvers, embracing the wicked plan of the rascals to pursue division and war and frustrating dialogue between the North and the South.

Their vicious plan is clearly shown by the fact that they fired without notice at our guards who approached a foreign tourist who did not know about the order in the Joint Security Area to protect him and fired a volley after illegally holding numerous automatic weapons and troops in readiness.

This is aimed at diverting elsewhere the attention of the South Korean students and people who rose in the anti-imperialist struggle for independence and the antifascist struggle for democracy by turning an atmosphere conducive to dialogue into an atmosphere of confrontation. This is a wild act designed to maintain their decaying colonial rule and check our people's aspiration for national unity and the peaceful reunification of the nation.

What arouses our indignation more is the fact that the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique, turning up at the forefront, is slandering us and straining the situation more acutely.

As public opinion at home and abroad noted and unanimously stressed, we did not talk about the incident to the South Korean side in the early stage after the incident out of a desire to push ahead with dialogue between the North and and the South. Nevertheless, the Chon Tu-hwan clique ran amok in maneuvers to shift the responsibility for provoking the shooting incident onto our side by announcing a so-called government statement and distorted the truth, talking as if the atmosphere of North-South dialogue was spoiled because of us. Thus, it viciously slandered us.

The Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique went so far as to offer a prize in a bid to arrest patriotic youths who burned the U.S. Cultural Center in Pusan in kicking off investigation rackets while linking this with us. Today, it murdered blood brethren in collusion with the U.S. imperialist aggressors and is trying to shift the responsibility for it onto our side. This shows that the Chon Tu-hwan clique is indeed a group of dirty national betrayers.

If the Chon Tu-hwan ring has no intention of holding dialogue with us, it should confess this frankly. It can gain nothing from its rackets of preposterously deriding and slandering the other party in dialogue and of worsening the atmosphere of dialogue.

How can we expect successful progress of talks at the spot stained with the blood of comrades Hong Song-mun, Yun Kyong-chun, and Kim Chong-chol, our lovely brothers and heroic fighters? How can we expect carefree talks and dialogue in a place where a terrifying atmosphere prevails?

The South Korean puppets cannot evade the responsibility for this murderous incident in Panmunjom nor can they evade the responsibility for having created obstacles on the road of dialogue and for having extremely aggravated the situation in our country.

I bitterly condemn the criminal act of the U.S. imperialists and their stooges of brutally murdering our security guards. [cheers and shouting slogans]

We, youths and students, also assert the following: We wish the U.S. imperialists to be cursed! Let us impose punishment on the South Korean puppets!

At this grave moment when the danger of a new war is growing in our country, because of the U.S. imperialists and their stooges, we will carry out to the end the sacred revolutionary cause left behind by the sacrificed People's Army soldiers by shifting the indignation and sorrow in our hearts into high revolutionary awareness and a combat posture.

Blood for blood! We will respond to the murderers who hunger for blood with blood and will deal with the aggressors who are wantonly playing with fire with force of violence. This is the courage and spirit of our Korean youths and students.

If the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppet clique continue to seek military provocation and anticommunist maneuvers for aggression despite our repeated warnings, the rascals will surely pay dearly for this. [Cheers and shouting slogans]

We, youths and students, will properly conduct school classes and organizational life and will more vigorously struggle for the independent and peaceful reunification of the country and for the final victory of the cause of chuche by advancing along the only road--the single road indicated by the great leader and the dear Comrade Kim Chong-il--cherishing the grudge of the murdered People's Army soldiers deep in our hearts. [cheers and shouting slogans]

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

TALK ON UNITY OF NORTH-SOUTH PATRIOTIC FORCES

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[Unattributed talk: "The Unity of North-South Patriotic Forces Is a Basic Guarantee for National Reunification"]

[Text] The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song scientifically elucidated that the unity of North-South patriotic forces is a basic guarantee for national reunification. The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song has taught: The realization of national reunification should proceed from the effort to find means for achieving unity between the North and the South and to promote great national unity.

The reason the unity of North-South patriotic forces is a basic guarantee for achieving national reunification is, above all, connected with the fact that it is an essential demand for strengthening the main [chuchejok] patriotic national forces for national reunification.

The socialist forces of the North and the patriotic democratic forces of the South--patriotic forces which love the nation and aspire for national reunification--constitute the main national forces for national reunification.

Only when main national forces are solidly prepared can national reunification be realized successfully. This is connected with the fact that the struggle for national reunification accompanies an acute confrontation and struggle between the North-South patriotic forces and the treacherous forces of South Korea and between the independent national forces and the outside imperialist aggressors.

A firm guarantee for smashing the maneuvers of the imperialist forces of aggression and their stooges for division and for achieving the cause of the country's reunification is the preparation of the main forces for reunification which are able to overwhelm the splittist forces at home and abroad and to smash them decisively. To prepare strong main forces, the socialist forces of the North and the patriotic, democratic forces of the South should be united as a single political force and a united national front should be formed. Only when a great coalition embracing the patriotic forces of the North, the South, and those abroad is formed can the splittist forces,

traitorous forces blocking national reunification, be decisively smashed and the independent and peaceful reunification of the country be realized successfully.

Another reason why the unity of North-South patriotic forces is a basic guarantee for achieving national reunification is that it is connected with the intrinsic nature of the reunification matter itself and its nationwide characteristic.

The matter of Korean reunification is, in essence, a matter of putting an end to the domination and interference of foreign forces, of completely realizing the sovereignty of the Korean nation, or removing distrust and confrontation between the North and the South, and of achieving national unity. Therefore, the struggle for national reunification is not a struggle between two different ideologies and systems or between communists and nationalists, but a struggle between aggressors and their victims, between patriots and traitors. Proceeding from this, the matter of accomplishing reunification assumes a nationwide nature and becomes a nationwide cause.

The suffering caused by the country's division is not inflicted just on a certain class or stratum or people in a certain area of the North and the South. Therefore, the matter of realizing the country's reunification is a vital matter linked to the interests of the entire nation and its destiny. For this reason, our compatriots, regardless of whether they live in the North, the South, or abroad, cannot turn away from the matter of national reunification. Reunifying the fatherland and the nation--artificially divided by foreign forces--is a sacred right, a lofty duty, and the responsibility of all Korean people.

To fulfill their responsibility for and role as masters of national reunification, the patriotic forces in the North and the South should unite as one under the banner of reunification and national salvation to stage a nationwide struggle. Only when they wage a nationwide struggle for national cohesive salvation while giving priority to unity can the patriotic forces in the North and the South take the lead in turning the subjective and objective situation favorable for national reunification and can they, as superior forces, successfully smash the maneuvers of the splittist forces at home and abroad for permanent division. Also, only when they wage a nationwide cohesive struggle can the North-South patriotic forces independently, peacefully, and democratically realize national reunification in accordance with our nation's own judgment and determination and in conformity with national aspirations and interests.

Another reason the unity of North-South patriotic forces is a basic guarantee for achieving national reunification is that it is connected with the urgent demands of the development of the prevailing situation in our country.

The object of our people's struggle to realize the country's reunification is the U.S. imperialists, the bosses of the world's reactionaries, and the traitorous clique of South Korea under their protection. The cause of

national reunification assumes a more arduous nature because even the Japanese militarist forces have joined the splittist forces in undisguisedly blocking the realization of national reunification and have spread the tentacles of reinvasion deep into our country.

For this reason, the matter of the unity of North-South patriotic forces is raised as a more urgent problem.

Even though mighty socialist forces have been prepared in the northern half of the republic and there also exist patriotic forces struggling for the democratization of society and national reunification in South Korea, the revolutionary forces of only one side cannot successfully achieve independent and peaceful reunification, the cause of the entire nation. All the problems rising in achieving the independent and peaceful reunification of the fatherland can be solved only through the unity of North-South patriotic forces.

For this very reason, the U.S. imperialists and their lackeys, who fear most the unity of North-South patriotic forces, are viciously maneuvering to aggravate misunderstanding, distrust, antagonism, and confrontation between North-South patriotic forces.

Grave obstacles have been laid on the road to national reunification especially because the U.S. imperialists, who have been tormented in predicament at home and abroad, have unprecedently and maliciously perpetrated new war provocation maneuvers.

Under these circumstances, the unity of the patriotic forces in the North and the South is emerging as a vital matter for the destiny of the country and the nation--a matter of saving them by smashing the maneuvers of the U.S. imperialists and their stooges for permanent division and the provocation of a new war.

In view of the intrinsic nature and characteristics of national reunification, the demands of the developing situation, and the demand to form forces for the country's reunification, the achievement of the unity of North-South patriotic forces is presently an urgent national task for the cause of reunification.

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

REACTIONS TO STUDENT UNREST REPORTED

Arrest of Students

SK211200 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 2153 GMT 20 Nov 84

[NODONG SINMUN 21 November commentary: "A Vicious Challenge to Justice"]

[Text] Having arrested and kicked off a farce of investigating some 260 students who occupied the headquarters of the Democratic Justice Party [DJP], the private political party of puppet Chon Tuhwan, and staged a sit-in there, the fascist clique arrested 19 of them with court warrants, charging them with the crime of violating the law on assembly and demonstration, and referred 186 to summary trials.

On 20 November, the fascist clique also arrested Kim Kyong-sik, a student of Korea University, and set up new investigation nets to arrest other students of this school.

On the other hand, representatives of the DJP threatened students, saying that any acts violating laws and order will be sternly punished. This is an open challenge to youths and students struggling for justice.

As is known, taken back by the occupation of the DJP headquarters by students of many universities in Seoul, the Chon Tu-hwan fascist clique mobilized riot police to arrest all of the students participating in the sit-in struggle and then kicked off the farce of investigating them.

The puppets also searched students' houses, clamoring that the students have received consciousness-raising education. The puppets went so far as to send policemen to the campuses of Sunggyunkwan University and many other universities in Seoul on the pretext of discovering wirepullers. Thus, they kicked off an investigation racket.

For the rascals to punish the students involved in the struggle, saying that their investigation racket has been concluded, exposes once again that South Korea is precisely a society of contradictions where treachery punishes patriotism and a land barren of human rights where only fascism is rampant.

The puppets always talk about law and order. But this is nothing but an excuse to justify their suppression of students.

South Korean youths and students are calling for democratic rights and freedom. Students of many universities in Seoul who stormed into the DJP headquarters on 14 November presented the 15-point demands, including the revision of the election law of national assemblymen, the immediate lifting of the political ban imposed on former politicians, the immediate stopping of suppression of labor organizations, the revision of the laws on labor unions, the increase of wages for workers, the increase of government-purchasing rice prices, and the immediate solution of housing problems for poor people, and expressed their firm determination to struggle for the realization of this demand to the end.

This reflects the demands of the South Korean people from all strata. Therefore, this should deserve praise and cannot be made a target of suppression. In fact, today, the South Korean people under the Chon Tu-hwan military fascist rule have been completely deprived of their basic rights for survival and democratic freedom, let alone the right of political activities. At the same time, their living conditions have been driven into distress because of the ever-increasing economic depression.

Workers are suffering hard labor and starvation wages. Farmers are suffering red-ink farming annually.

Traitor Chon Tu-hwan and the DJP, his private political party, should bear the responsibility for this. This is why the university students in Seoul occupied the DJP headquarters and staged a sit-in there.

This notwithstanding, the Chon Tu-hwan ring turned a deaf ear toward the students' demands reflecting the just voices of the people. It went so far as to suppress them by mobilizing police and to punish them illegally. Thus, the Chon Tu-hwan ring's babbling about construction of a democratic welfare society, campus autonomy, and the like has proven to be a lie. This also shows that the DJP, puppet Chon Tu-hwan's private political party, is precisely a group of political gangsters strangling democracy and deriding the will of the people.

No matter how desperately the puppets may wield bayonets to justify their fascist rule, they cannot block the just struggle of youths and students.

As long as democratization is not realized in the South Korean society and the fascist dictatorship continues to remain there, the struggle of youths and students will grow stronger.

'Suppression' of Students

SK230600 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 2153 GMT 22 Nov 84

[NODONG SINMUN 23 November commentary: "Hangmen's Violent Reactionary Offensive"]

[Text] On 20 November, the Chon Tu-hwan ring, which has been brutally suppressing the youths and students who have risen up in a just antifascist struggle for democratization, fabricated the so-called results of the investigation of the National Student Union for Democratization struggle and the printed material "Kibal No 2," running wild to punish the patriotic youths and students en-masse.

On 21 November, the puppet Seoul Police Bureau issued an order to arrest 18 persons, including (Yi Chong-u), chairman of the Student Union for the Struggle Against Dictatorship and for Democratization, and some students and figures of public organizations, and is waging a big racket of arresting them, mobilizing police agents.

The fascist clique is running wild to punish the patriotic youths and students, attempting to charge them with the crime of treason, branding them as radical students brainwashed with leftist ideas, saying that they waged a political struggle to obstruct the so-called general elections in concert with forces of various strata and to overthrow the present Constitution.

The puppets' suppressive racket is another intolerable act of fascist violence aimed at obliterating the patriotic struggle of the South Korean youths and students for the democratization of the campus and society and threatening the South Korean democratic forces, and a malicious act of political terrorism aimed at sustaining the shaky fascist dictatorial system and realizing long-term power.

Because of this violent and brutal anticommunist offensive, the campus in South Korea is being suffocated, and the personal security of the patriotic students is gravely threatened. As for the patriotic youths and students of South Korea who are victimized as objects of suppression by the fascist hangmen, they are far from being criminals, and their struggle cannot be so-called treason under any circumstances.

They are waging an antidictatorial struggle for democratization because the fascist elements are implementing dictatorial rule. They are waging a just struggle, calling for patriotism for the country and nation and reunification, because the puppet clique is engaged in treachery against the country and nation and seeking division, backed by the U.S. and Japanese aggressive forces.

On the road of this sacred struggle, the South Korean youths and students have formed their democratic organization of struggle and are vigorously waging a joint struggle with the masses, holding aloft a more vivid banner of struggle for independence, democracy, and reunification.

How can the South Korean youths and students, who are daring in seeking justice and who have burning patriotism, tolerate the treacherous acts, which incur the wrath of heaven and man, of the traitors, who sell out the interests of the country and the nation to foreign aggressors, mobilize the young men as cannot fodder, give women as toys to play with, and even pluck out organs

from live men and sell them? How can they not raise the torchlight of democracy before the dark reality, where even elementary and basic democratic rights are trampled upon and obliterated under the wicked and heinous military and police rule and where the sacred campus is blanketed by the police agents' savage network of surveillance and investigation?

The struggle of the South Korean youths and students is an inevitable result of the puppet ruling ring's savage fascist terrorist rule and treacherous act and it is a truly just struggle for national dignity and democratic freedom.

The hangmen are attempting to pin colossal accusations on the youths and students, saying that the objective of their struggle was socialist and/or communist revolution, babbling about their struggle slogans and terminology. If one becomes a communist when one opposes dictatorship and calls for democracy in a place where fascism prevails, who would not be a communist in South Korea except for a handful of fascist hangmen?

In South Korea today, it is not the patriotic youths and students who should be executed on charges of treason but the members of the puppet ruling ring themselves, who sell out the interests of the country and the nation to foreign aggressor forces and are engaged in division.

Frightened by the massive demonstration of the South Korean youths and students, which is showing a new trend of being stepped up, the puppets are frenziedly attempting to block the powerful trend of antifascist struggle for democratization by punishing, with charges of treason, the students who were at the forefront of the struggle, but this will only result in even greater massive resistance.

The South Korean puppets should immediately stop the fascist suppressive racket against the youths and students and unconditionally release the patriotic students who have been arrested and detained.

The South Korean youths and students will not lower their banner of struggle, for all the suppression with guns and bayonets, unless their just demands are realized.

Students Threaten Boycott

SK230547 (Clandestine) Voice of the RPR in Korean to South Korean 0300 GMT
23 Nov 84

[Text] Antidictatorial struggle for democratization by youths and students is growing stronger with each passing day.

At 1400 on 20 November, some 1,000 students from Korea, Yonsei, Sogang, and other universities formed the National Federation of College Students at a meeting held in the plaza in front of Korea University's student hall.

Students stressed that the National Federation of College Students is an expanded organization of the National Student Union for the Struggle Against Dictatorship and for Democratization organized on 5 November at Yonsei University and students of 48 universities and colleges throughout the country are participating in it in 8 groups.

In a declaration adopted at this meeting, students pledged that they will continue to struggle until the country is democratically governed by the masses.

Declaring also a struggle against the DJP, the students pledged that they would launch a movement of boycotting the general elections if their 14-point demand, including the release of students imprisoned, is not met.

After the meeting, the students staged a demonstration on campus, shouting slogans in which they demanded the release of imprisoned students and the abolition of the DJP.

At about 1530, they tried to go out of school onto the streets, but were blocked by police who suppressed them by firing tear gas canisters. They stubbornly fought against the police by throwing rocks and Molotov cocktails.

At about 1700, some 200 students began a sit-in and continued their struggle through the night. Without even a request from the school authorities, the Chon Tu-hwan ring decided to thrust police force onto the campus and committed a violent act of deploying hundreds of homeland reservists in the areas around Korea University.

Antigovernment Rallies

SK240353 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0338 GMT 24 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 24 Nov (KCNA)--More than 300 students of Sogang, Yonsei, Ehwa Women's and Hongik universities and Methodist Theological Seminary assembled at Sogang University on November 21 and held a "meeting to fight against the 'Democratic Justice Party'", according to South Korean newspaper reports November 22.

The attendants at the meeting went over to a demonstration, chanting slogans condemning the treacherous crimes of the "Democratic Justice Party." They had a fierce clash with the puppet police when their attempt to take to the streets was barred by it.

On the same day upwards of 1,000 students of Sogang University held a meeting and decided to boycott the lessons from November 22.

At noon that day 500 odd students of Yonsei University held a "grand forum on the situation" at the campus auditorium and strongly protested against the puppet clique's brutal suppression of patriotic students.

According to the Japanese paper NIHON KEIZAI SHIMBUN November 23, three buildings of the "Democratic Justice Party" in Seoul were attacked in succession by patriotic students on November 21 and 22 when the struggle against the "Democratic Justice Party", the private political party of traitor Chon Tu-hwan, is gaining momentum among the South Korean students.

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

VPRP ON S. KOREAN CULTURE MINISTER'S CALL FOR STRENGTH

SK270639 (Clandestine) Voice of the RPR in Korean to South Korea 0300 GMT
27 Nov 84

[Text] In a speech at a meeting of publishers and editors of newspapers and broadcasting companies throughout the country held at the Sejong Cultural Hall in Seoul on the morning of 26 November, Yi Chin-hui, minister of culture and public information, called for holding dialogue based on the foundation of strong power. This is an intolerable act against reunification--an act of calling for confrontation with dialogue and for competition with dialogue.

With North Korea' delivery of relief goods as momentum, an atmosphere of opposing anticommunist and anti-North rackets--an atmosphere not of confrontation but of North-South collaboration--has been created among the people, and dialogues, such as economic talks and Red Cross talks, have been held between the North and the South.

Such being the case, the U.S. imperialists and the Chon Tu-hwan ring have committed armed provocations against North Korea at Panmunjom and in areas along the truce line [hyujonson] and have fanned the sentiment of North-South confrontation by mobilizing anticommunist fanatics. This is an anti-popular crime of throwing cold water at the ardent desire of the people for reunification. Such maneuvers of the Chon Tu-hwan ring once again clearly show that it is trying not to attain reunification but to create two Koreas by suppressing the anti-U.S. and antigovernment struggle of the people and by creating discord between the North and the South under its disguised slogan for North-South dialogue and for national reconciliation.

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NORTH KOREAN WORKER SCORES PANMUNJOM INCIDENT

SK241143 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 0811 GMT 24 Nov 84

[Text] Now, people in the northern half of the republic cannot hold back their burning rage at the U.S. side's barbarous killing of our guards and taking away a foreign tourist forcefully in the area of the Military Armistice Commission Headquarters in Panmunjom.

Comrade Chi Chang-man, working at the towel branch factory of Pyongyang General Textile Plant, said:

[Begin Chi recording] As previously reported, the U.S. side committed a grave homicidal brutality, killing three guards of our side and wounding one in the conference room district of the Joint Security Area [JSA] of the Military Armistice Commission in Panmunjom.

I brand as a heinous homicidal act the U.S. side's criminal act of indiscriminately firing at the guards who were carrying out their routine duty in the conference room district in Panmunjom, killing them, and taking away a foreign tourist forcefully, and I strongly denounce and condemn this. The criminal act committed by the U.S. side this time is the act of a human butcher.

As for the tourist who crossed the cordon line in the conference room district, he did not know the rules of the JSA and was a complete stranger there. Therefore, a guard of our side approached him to alert him and protect his safety. A graver thing is that it fired at the three guards of our side who went with yellow armbands to help our felled guards after giving notice of their entry through telephone notice beforehand and killed them.

The disgusting homicidal barbarity committed by the U.S. side in Panmunjom is a grave provocative act, violating the Armistice agreement and, in particular, the mutual to guarantee the security of the JSA in Panmunjom.

The purpose of the brutal act perpetrated by the U.S. side is very clear. In the wake of our offer of relief goods to the South Korean flood victims, North-South economic talks and talks between North and South Red Cross

societies are being held successively these days and, therefore, the sentiment for reunification is growing stronger in the minds of the whole nation each passing day. The U.S. provocation of a shooting incident and commission of brutal homicidal act in the conference room district in Panmunjom at this time originates from its wicked intention to check the growing sentiment of our people for reunification by any means. The U.S. side should bear full responsibility for its grave criminal act of brutally killing and wounding guards of our side and immediately return to our side the tourist who it dragged away forcefully.

All working class people in the northern half of the republic, including me, will watch with high vigilance the behavior of the U.S. side, which makes its war provocations openly and is straining the situation, and will score greater gains in production, always mobilized and without relaxing their alert stand. [end recording]

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

DAILY HITS SOUTH FOR HINDERING DIALOGUE

SK241022 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 2154 GMT 23 Nov 84

[NODONG SINMUN 24 November commentary: "Shifting of Responsibility by Slanders"]

[Text] Through a black radio in South Korea on 21 November, the South Korean puppets slandered us, saying that we are carrying out propaganda which slanders them, claiming that they are our counterpart in dialogue. They took as examples our newspaper and radio reports that the South Korean economy went bankrupt because of the colonial policy, the people are suffering difficulty in living, and that their repeated military exercises are aimed at preparing for northward invasion.

The radio provoked us to a quarrel, noting that our propaganda is a fabrication and defamation, agitating and destroying the atmosphere of dialogue and talks.

This is a groundless slander and a self-righteous way of thinking. Our newspaper and radio reports on the South Korean economy and the people's living are based on the realities of the South Korean situation, analyzing their causes. As for the military exercises, we only made remarks which deserve to be made on the nature of military exercises and the consequences which such exercises will bring, and we warned them.

Thus, the report cannot be called fabrication and falsehood or slander and defamation because it did not concoct anything which was not real.

It is the basic mission of the press to report what is actually taking place. Furthermore, at a time when the South side is slanderously propagandizing our socialist system and policy in order to embellish the South Korean realities, extensive criticism of the colonial nature of the South Korean social and economic system on the basis of basic principles and the true state of the people's living there is natural and inevitable.

It is precisely South side which is carrying out an act of destroying the atmosphere of dialogue and straining and agitating their partner in dialogue.

Even after North-South dialogue was to take place following our relief measures for the South Korean flood victims, military exercises were carried out against us many times over in South Korea.

It is clear that such war rackets aggravating tensions cannot be consistent with an atmosphere of dialogue. They are instigating antagonism against us and North-South confrontation by fanning war fever and kicking off an anti-communist racket.

On the day when South Korean radio was recklessly complaining about us, noting that we are slandering our partner in dialogue, the Anticommunist League in Seoul was hosting a so-called symposium designed to plant anticommunist consciousness in the young generations and to promote anticommunist ability.

On 22 November, the next day, the defense minister held a meeting of the major commanders of all the armed forces and raved that superior combat capability to ensure victory in the early state of warfare and a posture of combat readiness should be strengthened, thus accelerating war preparations.

The South side smiles at the venue of dialogue but slanders its partner in dialogue behind by mobilizing all kinds of propaganda, thus running amok with war preparations. This is indeed an impure act of straining and agitating one's partner in dialogue.

The North-South dialogue which began in the middle of this month in Panmunjom is aimed at improving resolution of economic questions and humanitarian Red Cross issues and at reestablishing the ties of the same (?fellow countrymen).

In order to improve and develop the deadlocked North-South relations, one should assume a correct attitude for dialogue. It is our consistent position in dialogue that one should eliminate the misunderstanding and distrust which were created in the course of the lasting division and should create the atmosphere of trust and understanding. An atmosphere of dialogue cannot be attained by the efforts of only one side. In order to make progress in dialogue, one should not inspire antagonism and a sense of confrontation with one's partner in dialogue.

Whether the dialogue between the North and the South will progress smoothly or not depends entirely on the attitude of the South side.

If the South side truly wishes improvement in North-South relations, it should not hinder the creation of an atmosphere of dialogue but should do something to encourage dialogue.

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SOUTH KOREAN ARMY URGED TO ABANDON ANTICOMMUNISM

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[Unattributed talk entitled "Anticommunism and the South Korean Army," from the feature program "Hour for the Armed Forces"]

[Text] As in other sectors of society, never once has the army in particular abandoned anticommunist rackets. What is more, anticommunist rackets in the army are far more frantic than in any other sector of society.

High-ranking army officers are indiscreetly uttering bellicose and outrageous language, crying for prevailing over communism, annihilating communism, and annihilating the enemy in the initial stage of war, as if they were going to attack the North and trample it underfoot.

Apparently, they are trying to use the South Korean Army, which has guns at its disposal, as a shock brigade for annihilating communism. More often than not the Chon Tu-hwan ring preaches to the South Korean Army about anti-communism as if it were a noble and honorable mission. This is, however, illogical. Anticommunism is not the path for the South Korean Army to follow, nor can it be a correct code of conduct.

The primary mission of the army in any country is to defend its country against outside aggression. No one can openly refute this mission. Rulers of this country frequently say that the South Korean Army's mission is to defend the country against outside aggression. If the South Korean Army exists to defend the country, as is said by the rulers, it should assume as its chief mission keeping foreign aggressor troops away from the country.

Now, what is the reality? Instead of keeping the muzzles of their guns trained on the foreign aggressor troops, the army of this country has its guns trained on the patriotic masses and fellow countrymen in the North. It is not because there are no foreign aggressor troops that infringe upon and trample underfoot our national independence that the army has its guns trained on the patriotic masses and its fellow countrymen in the North.

As you may know, for nearly 40 years our country has remained under the military occupation of the U.S. imperialists, the greediest of all. Taking the place of the Japanese imperialists, the U.S. imperialists occupied this land in the wake of national liberation, have kept their troops of aggression stationed in our country, and have practiced a cunning neocolonial rule up to the present.

The U.S. imperialists are neither liberators nor givers of aid, nor are they protectors. They are clearly troops of aggression that stand in the way of our country's reunification and complete independence. Aside from their aggressive purposes, there is no justification for the U.S. imperialists to remain in our country, which is thousands of miles away from their home.

On the contrary, the North is where the consanguineous fellow countrymen, who have lived in the same territory we live in, sharing the same blood line, the same history of more than 5,000 years, and the same culture with us, and will live the same way in the future, too. This notwithstanding, the men and officers of the South Korean Army, while not touching U.S. troops, the foreign troops of aggression who are freely moving around in this country, are forced to train their guns on the fellow countrymen in the North and to even cry for annihilation of communism. How lamentable this is!

There is no reason why men and officers of the South Korean Army should follow the anticommunist line against the North. In terms of the social, economic, and class position in which they find themselves, the men and officers of the South Korean Army have no reason whatsoever to let themselves be used by the Chon Tu-hwan ring as anticommunist shock brigade.

The working masses of the past era, including the workers and peasants, and their sons and daughters constitutes the absolute majority of the men and officers of the South Korean Army. Therefore, why should they oppose the popular masses in the North, where the working masses, having become the masters of the country, are creating national prosperity and a free and happy life, and are doing their utmost to realize peaceful reunification of the national territories [kukto tongil], and the communists?

Anticommunism does not exist for the working people, but for the imperialists and their perpetrators. Only the imperialists and their perpetrators benefit by anticommunist; it brings no benefits to the working people. In essence anticommunism is not an invention of the working people, but of the imperialists and their perpetrators and is monopolized by them only.

Anticommunism is an antinational and anti-peace slogan forged by the U.S. imperialists and the Chon Tu-hwan ring to justify their fascist colonial rule in this land and to rationalize their maneuvers to provoke a new war, and their policy of perpetuating the division.

This being the case, if the men and officers of the South Korean Army, who are mostly from the ranks of the working people, including the workers and

peasants, stage an anticommunist farce together with the Chon Tu-hwan ring, intentionally or unintentionally, it will only be an act of strangling themselves with their own hands.

The South Korean Army, from the day it was established by the U.S. imperialists, has been used as a military means to infringe on the interests of the working people and to protect the interests of the rulers of this country. It has thus traversed a path of shame.

The large-scale massacre of democratic citizens committed by the South Korean Army in Kwangju on May 1980 was an intolerable crime and an indelible ignominy. The men and officers of the South Korean Army should not let themselves be dragged into anticommunism against their will and should reject fratricide and (?suppression of the masses), which are being forced upon them under the pretext of anticommunism. Also, they should not swallow the ignominy of training their guns on the brothers in the North.

The men and officers of the South Korean Army should open their eyes to the fact that they have no reason to be involved in anticommunism, should abstain from foolishly dancing to the tune of anticommunism together with the rulers, and should have the courage and wisdom to share the same desires as the people of the nation and to act according to the dictates of patriotism, although they are in uniform.

I have told you from what standpoint the men and officers of the South Korean Army should approach the anticommunist rackets being staged insanely.

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RADIO ON NORTH'S EFFORTS FOR FAMILY REUNION

SK221226 Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 0953 GMT 22 Nov 84

[Unattributed talk: "Our Sincere Efforts To Mitigate the Sufferings of the Dispersed Families"]

[Text] Since the first day of national division, our party and the Government of the Republic have put forth the most aboveboard and reasonable proposals for the independent and peaceful reunification of the fatherland and have made all sincere efforts for their realization.

In addition, proceeding from a warm compatriotic love and a humanitarian standpoint, we have taken every opportunity to propose that measures be taken to alleviate the suffering of fellow countrymen, caused by division, even before the reunification of the country and have made all possible efforts to realize our proposals.

The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song has taught: Our stand toward North-South Red Cross talks is clear. We want to alleviate the people's pain, caused by division, at an early date by making the talks successful and, on this basis, we want to hew out the road to the peaceful reunification of the fatherland.

In 1957, proceeding from a lofty humanitarian spirit and a compatriotic love, we proposed that North-South Red Cross delegates regularly exchange letters of greetings at a place considered convenient by the South Korean side in order to realize the ardent desire of fellow countrymen, dispersed in the North and South, to know the fate of their families and relatives.

On as many as 10 occasions in the 1950's and 1960's, we put forward proposals to hold talks with the South Korean side to discuss the question of mitigating the sufferings of separated fellow countrymen, including the question of the exchange of free visits between the North and the South and the question of delivering letters.

In particular, in his historic speech of 6 August 1971, the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song alid down the policy of wideranging North-South

negotiations by reflecting the basic stand of our party and the demands of the rapidly changing internal and external situation and initially opened a road of contact between the North and the South whose relations had been ruptured for a long time.

As a result, contacts and negotiations between the North and the South began in August 1971 and the historic full-fledged talks between the North and South Red Cross societies were held.

At the North-South Red Cross talks in the 1970's, we proposed to the South Korean side tens of times that the exchange of free visits and letters between families, relatives, and friends be realized and their meetings be guaranteed, and we made all sincere efforts for successful talks.

Our proposals embodied sentiments of warm compatriotic love to mitigate the sufferings of separated fellow countrymen and, furthermore, they contained our ardent aspirations to lay a foundation for national reunification through humanitarian work.

In spite of our sincere efforts, the hard-won North-South Red Cross talks were frustrated and the ardent desire of the families and relatives dispersed in the North and the South has not been realized. This is totally because the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets, who have used the lofty humanitarian question to realize the criminal fabrication of two Koreas, have perpetrated malicious maneuvers to perpetuate national division.

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

CONTINUED REPORTAGE ON SHOOTING INCIDENT

Killing Condemned

SK240511 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0454 GMT 24 Nov 84

["Secretary of Our Side Condemns Brutal Murder Committed by U.S. Imperialist Aggressors in Panmunjom Conference Room District"--KCNA headline]

[Text] Kaesong, 24 Nov (KCNA)--The 474th meeting of secretaries of the Military Armistice Commission was held in Panmunjom at the proposal of our side. At the meeting, our side exposed the brutal murder committed by the U.S. imperialist aggressors in the conference room district in Panmunjom.

According to the statement of Colonel Kim Yon-ki, secretary of our side, the U.S. imperialist aggressors committed a grave gun-firing against the guard personnel of our side in the conference room area of the Joint Security Area in Panmunjom at about 11:35 November 23. As a result, three guard men of our side were killed and one other wounded.

Yesterday foreign tourists of our side went to Panmunjom to tour the conference room district. One of them unexpectedly cross the central Military Demarcation Line drawn in the district. As for that tourist, he was a stranger in the Joint Security Area and did not know of the order there.

Therefore, a guard man of our side approached him to awaken him and protect his safety. However, guard men of the U.S. imperialist aggression forces took away the tourist by the arm and indiscriminately fired an automatic weapon to the guard man of our side who was intending to awaken the tourist.

He fell down on the spot.

Under this situation, the personnel of our side demanded through a telephone notice the enemy side to stop firing and informed it that disarmed men would cross the central Military Demarcation Line to save the wounded man of our side.

But, the U.S. imperialist aggressors fired hundreds of bullets of "M-16" automatic rifles and machineguns and handgrenade throwers. When the incident

occurred, the U.S. side brought into the joint security area over 50 personnel armed with automatic weapons by a large truck they had already prepared. And then, they took a combat posture and expanded the firing.

The U.S. side shot to death the personnel of our side approaching our wounded guard man to save him, although our side did not attack the enemy side and sent notice to the U.S. side at that critical moment to let it know our side's intention to merely awaken and protect the tourist and save the wounded man.

This is the most brutal act and a flagrant violation of the armistice agreement and the agreement reached between the two sides.

The hooliganism committed by the U.S. side found its manifestation in the fact that it fired at the personnel of our side on duty with yellow bands on their arms.

This shows the U.S. side has now embarked upon grossly violating even the point of agreement concerning the conference room district.

The secretary of our side stated the U.S. imperialist aggressors' firing at personnel of our side and killing them in cold blood at a time when peace talks between the North and the South are going one after another in Panmunjom these days are a deliberate and premeditated criminal act intended to prevent at any cost the tension from being eased and a climate from being created for peace talks.

Their premeditated and deliberate crime is clearly proved by their introduction of even prohibited automatic rifles, machine guns and handgrenade throwers into the conference room district in Panmunjom, he declared.

Noting that the grave criminal act perpetrated by the U.S. imperialist aggressors is provoking a bitter indignation among our people and the world's peaceloving people, the secretary of our side lodged a strong protest with the U.S. side against its brutal killing of personnel of our side on routine duty and dragging away of foreign tourist.

The secretary of our side held the U.S. side fully responsible for this incident and strongly demanded it to severely punish those involved in the crime and send the forcibly dragged tourist back at once.

U.S. 'Flayed' For Murdering Soldiers

SK260025 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2339 GMT 25 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 26 Nov (KCNA)--MINJU CHOSON November 23, commenting on the fact that on November 23 guard personnel of the U.S. imperialist aggression forces fired at guard personnel of our side in their routine duty in the conference room area of Panmunjon and murdered them in cold blood, vehemently denounces it as an unpardonable, ogish act of murder.

The author of the commentary says:

The U.S. side introduced automatic rifles, machineguns and handgrenade throwers prohibited in the conference room area of Panmunjom and fired them at our personnel and even at operatives of our side wearing yellow armbands. This is a grave provocation violating the armistice agreement and an agreement of the two sides on security in the conference room area.

The brutal murder of guard personnel of our side by the U.S. side in the conference room area of Panmunjom where contact between delegates of North and South is going on is a deliberate and premeditated act seeking the vicious aim of wrecking by hook or by crook the atmosphere of peaceful talks.

Recalling that the South Korean puppets made public a "statement" in connection with this incident, maliciously slandering us, the commentary says: This reminds one of a thief calling others thief.

The U.S. side must bear full responsibility for the criminal act in murdering and injuring guard personnel of our side.

The U.S. side must immediately send back a foreign tourist of our side whom it took away by force because he crossed the demarcation line.

The U.S. side must severely punish criminals who murdered guard personnel of our side, make an apology for its crime and take relevant measures against the recurrence of similar incidents.

PYONGYANG SINMUN's Denunciation

SK260341 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0332 GMT 26 Nov 84

["Provokers Cannot Escape Punishment"--KCNA headline]

[Text] Pyongyang, 26 Nov (KCNA)--PYONGYANG SINMUN November 25 denounces the U.S. imperialist aggression forces for murdering guard personnel of our side in their routine duty on November 23 in the conference room area of Panmunjom.

The paper says in a signed commentary:

As for guard personnel of our side murdered this time in cold blood, they were in their routine guard duty in the conference room area of Panmunjom, provoking no one.

It was for his routine guard duty that a guard personnel of our side approached a foreign tourist, who had crossed the central Military Demarcation Line by mistake, to protect his personal safety.

The U.S. imperialists' deliberate murder is a grave provocation violating the armistice agreement and the agreement of the two sides on security in the joint security area of Panmunjom in particular, and a criminal act for heightening tension in Korea.

This notwithstanding, the South Korean puppets issued a "statement" and slandered us, clamouring about "violation of the armistice agreement" and "murder". This reminds one of a thief calling others thief.

Each time contact was arranged between North and South, the U.S. imperialists whipped up a war atmosphere, heightening tension and impeding the progress of dialogue.

Some time ago the U.S. ambassador in Seoul warned that too much expectation must not be placed on North-South economic talks and, in wake of this, the commander of U.S. Forces in South Korea incited confrontation. All this was aimed at dampening the desire of the people for reunification and a deliberate move obstructing the newly arranged North-South dialogue.

The United States must severely punish criminals who murdered guard personnel of our side, apologize to us and immediately return the foreign tourist whom it took away by force.

People Denounce Killing

SK260353 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0341 GMT 26 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 25 Nov (KCNA)--Korean working people and officers and men of the Korean People's Army are scathingly denouncing in the name of the nation the U.S. imperialists and their stooges for their illegal and brutal murder of guard personnel of our side in their routine duty in the conference room area of Panmunjom.

Labour Hero KimIk-su, rolling worker of the Kangson steel complex, said:

Upon hearing the news that the enemy brutally killed guard personnel of our side by firing automatic rifles in the daytime, we steel makers feel our hearst burning with surging hatred for and indignation at the U.S. imperialist aggressors, the inveterate enemy and human butcher.

The heinous murderous outrage of the U.S. imperialists is a deliberate and premeditated criminal act for disturbing peace in Korea, obstructing her peaceful reunification and further aggravating the situation on the Korean peninsula.

The U.S. imperialists must bear full responsibility for the unpardonable criminal act of brutally killing guard personnel of our side in the conference room area of Panmunjom.

An Ki-yong, chairman of the management committee of the Panmunjom cooperative farm in Panmun County, had this to say:

I bitterly denounce with national indignation the crime of the U.S. imperialists and the puppets in killing guard personnel of our side with gun firing and leading the situation to an extreme pitch of strain.

The murder is a deliberate provocation aimed at marring the atmosphere of North-South talks created with our compatriotic relief measure for the South Korean flood victims as an occasion and putting down the people's aspiration for national reunification.

The U.S. imperialist aggressors and Chon Tu-hwan group must apologize for their murderous act committee in Panmunjom and punish criminals and the U.S. imperialists withdraw from South Korea at once.

Hwang Yong-kwan, vice-chairman of the Songyo District People's Committee, Pyongyang, said:

It is a gross violation of the armistice agreement and agreement between the two sides and a deliberate and grave military provocation to take away a foreigner inspecting Panmunjom under an absurd pretext and fire automatic rifles at guard personnel of our side approaching him. The vicious criminals must be severely punished.

Yi Hyo-sam, an officer of the Korean People's Army, had this to say:

Guard personnel of the U.S. side fired automatic rifles in volley in the daytime at guard personnel of our side in their routine duty and killed them. This is a deliberate and barbarous murder and a grave provocation violating the armistice agreement and agreement between the two sides.

We are watching with high vigilance the war provocation maneuvers of the U.S. imperialists and their stooges.

We do not want to provoke others first, but we will never tolerate the enemy provoking us first.

The criminals must be meted out deserving punishment.

MINJU CHOSON Denunciation :

SK271049 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1030 GMT 27 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 27 Nov (KCNA)--The U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets bestially murdered guards of our side on their routine duty in the area of the Panmunjom conference room on November 23.

MUNJU CHOSON in a signed commentary Tuesday denounces this as a deliberate and premeditated military provocation to heighten tensions in Korea and spoil the atmosphere of dialogue.

Noting that the firing was by no means an accidental incident, the paper says:

It is an old game of the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets to deliberately increase tensions and throw a wet blanket on the dialogue

with loud outcries for "a showdown of strength" whenever an atmosphere of dialogue is created and a sign of the relaxation of tensions seen in our country.

On November 23, the very day when they committed firing in the conference room area of Panmunjom, the U.S. imperialists and their stooges perpetrated a grave military provocation by opening a large-calibre machinegun fire at a post of our side on the Military Demarcation Line in the eastern sector of the front.

All the facts clearly show once again who seek permanent division and war in Korea and where the danger of war hanging over the Korean peninsula comes from.

The U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets must not run wild but apologize for their crimes in bestially killing guards of our sides, punish the criminals and immediately return the tourist they took away by force.

CHONGNYON Official Denounces 'Murder'

SK261046 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1026 GMT 27 Nov 84

[Text] Tokyo, 26 Nov (KNS-KCNA)--Pak Chong-won, vice-chairman of the Central Standing Committee of the General Association of Korean Residents in Japan (CHONGNYON), on November 26 issued a talk in connection with the brutal murder of guard personnel of our side on November 23 by the U.S. imperialist aggression forces and the South Korean puppet army in the Panmunjom conference area.

He branded the brutal murderous act committed in the daytime against guard personnel of our side in their routine duty by the U.S. imperialist aggression forces and the South Korean puppet army to kill or seriously injure them as an open provocation against the armistice agreement, and particularly against the bilateral agreement on security in the joint security area of Panmunjom and an intolerable challenge to peace, and vehemently denounced their outrage with surging national indignation.

The gun firing this time cannot be construed otherwise than a deliberate act aimed to prevent the relaxation of tension and the creation of an atmosphere of dialogue in Korea, Pak Chong-won said.

He stressed:

The Korean residents in Japan will never tolerate any aggression and provocation of the U.S. imperialists and their stooges.

The U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppet clique must apologize for barbarous criminal murder and injury of guard personnel of the DPRK, severely punish the criminals and return to the DPRK the foreign tourist they took away by force.

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INTER-KOREAN RELATIONS

CONTINUED REPORTAGE ON STUDENT DEMONSTRATORS

Stage Antigovernment Rallies

SK220005 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2318 GMT 21 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 22 Nov (KCNA)--University students in Seoul are waging a powerful anti-"government" struggle every day, according to South Korean papers.

More than 500 students of Seoul University held "a meeting condemning the 'Democratic Justice Party'" at a campus plaza on the afternoon of November 16.

In a fact-finding report at the meeting about the sit-in strike waged by students after occupying the building of the "Democratic Justice Party", the students denounced the "party", saying that it "revealed its violence against the people's demand for democracy by having the students rounded up as mobs" when they called at it with a just demand. They demanded an immediate release of the arrested students.

The students showed their undaunted spirit, burning the "flag" of the "Democratic Justice Party."

Over 1,000 students of Koryo University held a meeting in front of the main university building, reaffirmed the assertions contained in the 15-point demand brought forward by students when they occupied the building of the "Democratic Justice Party" and waged the sit-in strike, and then went over to a demonstration.

More than 1,000 students of Yonsi, Ehwa Women's, Sogang and Songgyungwan universities held campus meetings and demonstrations and denounced the Chon Tu-hwan fascist clique's suppression of the patriotic students who had occupied the building of the "Democratic Justice Party."

Meanwhile, the committee for probing into the abuses of girl students formed with women students of Seoul, Koryo, [words indistinct] other universities in Seoul held a meeting with the attendance of above 1,500 students in the auditorium of Koryo University. They demanded the punishment of the chief of the puppet West Gate police station and the chief of the puppet

Chongnyang-ri police station and others, exposing that police had taken to police stations women students participating in struggle and persecuted and insulted them.

On the evening of November 16, upwards of 700 students of Sungjon University in Seoul assembled in the campus auditorium and waged a sit-in strike in demand of the restoration of the general council of students and the resignation of venal teachers.

Students of Seoul University on November 17 attacked the "Tenth District Party" building of the "Democratic Justice Party" in Yongdungpo District and the office of the subsidized trade union in Kwanak District.

The powerful anti-fascist struggle of the South Korean students for democracy has driven the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique into a mortal fear and a blind alley.

The fascist clique arrested five patriotic students who had participated in the raid on the "district party" building of the "Democratic Justice Party" and the office of the subsidized trade union.

Student Suppression Denounced

SK221015 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1001 GMT 22 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 22 Nov (KCNA)--MINJU CHOSON today castigates the fascist clique for brutally suppressing students who had occupied the building of the "Democratic Justice Party", a private party of the traitor Chon Tu-hwan, and held a sit-in strike.

The paper in a signed commentary recalls that the fascist clique arrested more than 270 students who had occupied the "Democratic Justice Party" building and struggled and detained 19 of them on charges of violation of the fascist "law on assembly and demonstration" and referred 186 others to "summary trial" and the "representative member" of the "Democratic Justice Party" threatened that "acts violating law and order" would be "decisively countered", and says:

This shows that the Chon Tu-hwan group is a group of military rogues stifling democracy and suppressing patriotism.

Students whom the puppets are so harshly cracking down upon are by no means criminals but patriotic students who had struggled for campus freedom and democracy in society. The utterances of the "representative member of the Democratic Justice Party" are nothing but ravings that they would ruthlessly suppress students who refuse to be obedient to their fascist rule.

Although the puppets are trying to put down the ever mounting righteous struggle of students and people and bridge over the ever more serious crisis of "power" by means of threat and brutal suppress, the bayonet cannot break the desire of people or block their righteous action.

National Student Federation Formed

SK230352 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0340 GMT 23 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 23 Nov (KCNA)--More than 1,000 students of Koryo, Yonse, Sogang and three other universities in Seoul held an inaugural meeting of the "National General Federation of Students" at the plaza in front of the students' hall of Koryo University before starting an anti-"government" demonstration on the afternoon of November 20, according to the South Korean paper HANGUK ILBO November 21.

In the inaugural declaration read at the meeting, they pledged "to fight will a country of democracy and the people is built" and adopted a "declaration to fight against the 'Democratic Justice Party'".

In the "declaration" the students reaffirmed the 15-point demand put forward by students when they had occupied the building of the puppet Democratic Justice Party and waged a sit-in strike and threatened that they would launch "a movement for boycotting the general elections" in case this demand was not met.

After the inaugural meeting, the students fought the riot police, furiously hurling stones and flame bottles at it. They chanted "Release the arrested students" and other slogans.

According to the South Korean paper CHOSON ILBO November 21, students of the colleges of Koryo University held meetings on the 20th and decided to boycott the terminal examinations till the release of the arrested students.

On the same day, more than 500 girl students of Seoul, Koryo and Yonse universities and Ehwa Women's University and ten other universities in Seoul assembled at Ehwa Women's University and held a meeting to denounce the abuses of women students under the sponsorship of "the committee for probing into the abuses of girl students of the Federation of Women Students."

They adopted a statement refuting the "fact-finding report" published by the puppet police authorities on November 17 to justify the police abuses of girl students.

The meeting was followed by a demonstration of the students chanting such anti-"government" slogans as "Probe into the abuses of girl students" and "Away with the terroristic police."

The demonstrators fought undauntedly against the tear-gas firing puppet police rushed to the scene, pelting stones at it.

Meanwhile, upwards of 100 women students of Yonse, Koryo, Ehwa Women's, Hanyang, Kyonghui, Songgyungwan, Sogang and Chungang universities and University of Foreign Studies in Seoul waged a demonstration in demand of "a stop to discrimination against the women."

According to CHOSON ILBO November 20, students of Yonsei University held a street demonstration on the morning of November 19 with a streamer reading "Probe into the abuses of girl students" and chanting the slogan "release the arrested students" and scattered a great many copies of a printed material titled "To the People."

Chon Urged To Stop Suppression

SK230357 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0349 GMT 23 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 23 Nov (KCNA)--NODONG SINMUN today, commenting on the fact that the Chon Tu-hwan group cooked up the "results of search" into the "National Student Union of Struggle for Democracy" and printed material "Banner No 2", issued an "order of wholesale arrest" of 18 students and figures of public organisations including Yi Chong-u, chairman of the Student Alliance of Struggle Against Dictatorship and for Democracy, and launched into a wholesale roundup campaign by mobilizing police and secret agents, denounces this as an outrageous reactionary offensive of hangmen.

The author of the commentary says:

The fascist clique is trying hard to punish patriotic students on charges of "rebellion", labelling them as "communised radical students" and claiming they are in liaison with forces of various strata waged "political struggle" for "obstructing general elections" and "overthrowing the present system."

The puppets' repressive campaign is one more unpardonable fascist rampage for stifling the patriotic struggle of South Korean students for democracy in the campus and society and threatening the democratic forces of South Korea and a vicious political terrorism for bolstering up the tottering fascist dictatorial system and realising the greed for long-term office.

As for the patriotic students of South Korea who are a target of the fascist hangmen's suppression, they are by no means "criminals" and their struggle can never be a "rebellion."

The struggle of South Korean students is an inevitable outcome of the brutal fascist terror rule and treachery of the puppet rulers and a just struggle for national dignity and democratic liberties.

Those who should be executed in South Korea on charges of "treason" today are not patriotic students but the puppet rulers who are bartering away the interests of the country and nation to foreign aggressors and seeking fascism, war and division.

The South Korean puppets must immediately stop the fascist suppression of students and unconditionally set free the arrested and jailed patriotic students.

21 Nov Student Demonstration

SK262345 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2331 GMT 26 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 27 Nov (KCNA)--More than 120 boy and girl students of seven universities in Seoul including Seoul, Yonse and Koeyo universities planned to stage a torch light demonstration around Seoul railway station and Namdaemun rotary on the afternoon of November 21, according to the South Korean paper HANGUK ILBO.

They prepared more than 1,000 copies of printed material titled "University Men Are Indignant at the Violence of the 'Democratic Justice Party'", cotton mallets and so forth that day.

Having spied on the movement of the students, the fascist clique mobilized a large police force to arrest them indiscriminately on the spot. That day the puppet police reportedly took 78 boy and girl students to the Namdaemun police station alone.

On November 22, upwards of 1,000 students of Koryo University held a "general student meeting for the release of arrested students" in the square in front of the students hall of the university and resolved to totally boycott the early examination which is scheduled before December 13 and demanded the normalisation of the daily campus routine.

They also demanded the university authorities to give an official answer till November 30 to the demand for the withdrawal of unjustified discipline of students and other demands and declared that in case their demands are not met, they would boycott the examination indefinitely and call a strike in the first semester of 1985.

On the same day, students of Yonse University held meetings at different colleges and decided to jointly take part in the struggle against dictatorship and for democracy in the future, too, conduct a fund-raising movement for the students who have been arrested and detained by the fascist clique and actively struggle against its fascist "campus discipline".

A struggle boycotting examination was also waged by students at Songgyungwan University that day.

Demonstration Against DJP

SK260829 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0820 GMT 26 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 26 Nov (KCNA)--The South Korean students are directing the spearhead of their struggle against fascism and for democracy against the "Democratic Justice Party," a private political party of the traitor Chon Tu-hwan.

On November 14, the "Central Party" building of the "Democratic Justice Party" in Seoul was destroyed under a shower of stones and occupied by hundreds of students.

Over 100 of students of Seoul University who were going to attend a meeting of the Chonggye Clothing Workers' Union in Pyonghwa market on October 12, raided the Seoul branch office of the "Democratic Justice Party".

The "Teneth Regional Party" of the "Democratic Justice Party" in Yongdungpo District, Seoul, was attacked on November 17, and the "Central Study and Training Institute" of the party in Kangdong District raided and had 2 trucks burned on November 21. Attacks were made in succession on the office of "DJP" in Chongju was showered with stones by angry demonstrators.

Over 4,000 students of 42 universities and colleges from all parts of South Korea held a meeting on November 5 at Yonsei University in Seoul, and shouted "Down with the Chon Tu-hwan 'regime'" and "Disband the 'Democratic Justice Party'". At a "meeting denouncing the 'Democratic Justice Party'" held on November 16 at Seoul University, indignant students burned an accursed "party flag" of the "DJP". The inaugural meeting of the "National General Federation of Students" held on November 20 at Koryo University adopted a "declaration of struggle against the 'Democratic Justice Party'". On November 21, about 300 students of 5 universities in Seoul including Sogang and Yonsei held a "meeting to fight against the 'Democratic Justice Party'" at Sogang University and denounced the crimes of the Chon Tu-hwan military hooligans.

The students' action against the "Democratic Justice Party" demonstrates the firm will of the people not to tolerate the Chon Tu-hwan military hooligans engrossed in treachery.

Wholesale Arrest of Students

SK230346 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0336 GMT 23 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 23 Nov (KCNA)--The Chon Tu-hwan military fascist clique on November 21 issued "an order of the wholesale arrest" of patriotic students and figures who had participated in an anti-"government" struggle, 18 in all, according to a radio report from Seoul.

In this suppressive order, the fascist clique cried that "all the detective forces should be mobilized in rounding up all those wanted", insulting again the righteous struggle of the students for democratization against fascism as an act spoiling "social stability and atmosphere of study."

Meanwhile, the fascist clique imposed the penalty of detention upon all the 186 students whom they had referred to "summary trials" on the charge of occupying the "Central Party" building of the "Democratic Justice Party" and staging a sit-in strike.

The Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique are foolishly trying to check the struggle of the patriotic students by issuing one suppressive order after another and harshly cracking down upon them.

University Discipline Demanded

SK231042 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1001 GMT 23 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 23 Nov (KCNA)--The Chon Tu-hwan military fascist clique demanded universities to discipline patriotic students who had participated in the raid on the "Central Party" building of the "Democratic Justice Party." Complying with this, universities in Seoul held "an enlarged meeting of the school affairs committee", "an emergency meeting of the school affairs committee", "a meeting of rectors and department directors" to frame up plots to discipline patriotic students, according to a radio report from Seoul.

At the "meeting of rectors and department directors" and the "emergency meeting of the school affairs committee" held at Koryo University, plots were hatched not only to "discipline" patriotic students who had participated in the righteous struggle but also to frustrate the "second joint meeting of students" scheduled at the university.

The puppet clique's outrage met with protest from conscientious professors.

"A meeting of school affairs committee" was held at Yonsei University, forced by the fascist clique. But it ended in 30 minutes, without adopting any decision to "discipline students."

Discovery of Molotov Cocktails

SK270403 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0344 GMT 27 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 27 Nov (KCNA)--South Korean fascist clique on November 25 arrested Kim Hye-song and So Chong-hyon, students of Chonnam University in Kwangju, according to a radio report from Seoul.

On November 23 the fascist clique, frightened at the discovery of many Molotov cocktails on the top of a building near the puppet Chungjangro police booth in Kwangju, launched a wholesale search campaign and arrested these students on charges of involvement in this incident and is suppressing them, clamouring about "attempt at arson" and "preparations for a plot."

The fascist clique schemes to bar the righteous struggle of students against fascism and for democracy with continued roundup and intensified suppression.

Japan Supports Student Struggle

SK271021 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1001 GMT 27 Nov 84

[Text] Tokyo, 25 Nov (KNS-KCNA)--The Japan mission of the Revolutionary Party for Reunification in its statement on November 22 extended full support and encouragement to the South Korean students in their anti-"government" struggle against dictatorship and for democracy and national reunification.

The statement denounced the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique for arresting, imprisoning and torturing South Korean students at random, perplexed by their mass struggle.

World Group Supports Struggles

SK280813 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0812 GMT 28 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 28 Nov (KCNA)--A message of solidarity came to the Korean students committee from the secretariat of the International Union of Students in support of the just patriotic struggle of South Korean students.

In its message the secretariat says:

The International Union of Students resolutely supports the just patriotic struggle of South Korean students for independence, democracy and reunification in the name of millions of students in the world.

We denounce the South Korean "regime's" continued suppression of South Korean students.

We express our full support once again to the struggle of the Korean people and students for the countrys' reunification, democracy and peace.

'Penalization' for Hiding Firebombs

SK280451 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0429 GMT 28 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 28 Nov (KCNA)--The South Korean military fascist clique is scheming to penalise 4 students of Chonnam University in Kwangju, South Cholla Province, by involving a fascist evil law, according to a radio report from Seoul.

These students were arrested on November 25 on charges of hiding many Molotov cocktails in the ceiling of a building near the puppet Chungjangro police booth in Kwangju.

The puppets interrogated them on charges of "plotting" for anti-"government" struggle and "attempt at arson", and are now scheming to penalise them through murderous trial by the fascist "law on violence and penalty."

The fascist clique also launched into a search campaign to arrest 12 more students of the university.

The Chon Tu-hwan group is resorting to all sorts of suppressive moves in an attempt to bar the struggle of patriotic students against fascism and for democracy.

Continued Attack on DJP Buildings

SK280351 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0346 GMT 28 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 28 Nov (KCNA)--The South Korean paper TONGA ILBO reported about continued attacks of Seoul students on buildings of the "Democratic

Justice Party," a private political party of the traitor Chon Tu-hwan, after its "Central Party" building was occupied by them.

At around 6:50 on the morning of November 22, a group of students threw stones at the office room of Pong Tu-wan, a "national assemblyman" from the "Democratic Justice Party", in Mapo District, Seoul, and smashed its windows.

At around 7 that morning, students smashed with stones windows of the office room of the Seoul "Seventh District Party" of the "DJP" in Sodaemun District.

Earlier, on the night of November 21, students made a surprise attack on the "Central Study and Training Institute of the Democratic Justice Party" in Kangdong District and burned a motorcar and bus there.

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

REPORTAGE ON THE SEOUL OLYMPICS

Syrian Call for Change in Venue

SK261012 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1005 GMT 26 Nov 84

["Venue of 1988 Olympiad Should Be Moved to Other Place"--KCNA headline]

[Text] Pyongyang, 26 Nov (KCNA)--Camel Bunni, general director of the Syrian paper AL USUBUU AL RIADIIH, in his talk issued in the November 8 issue of the Syrian Government organ TISHURIN, strongly held that the venue of the 1988 Olympic Games should be moved from Seoul to another place.

Noting that Seoul is unfit for the site of the Olympiad because it is not a proper place conforming to the noble idea of the Olympic movement, he said:

The reason is:

Firstly, Seoul is not a peaceful and safe place for an international sports festival conforming to the idea of the Olympiad.

Secondly, South Korea is a graveyard of human rights where human dignity and freedom are harshly violated and trampled underfoot contrary to the idea of the Olympiad aspiring after friendship and unity.

Thirdly, Chon Tu-hwan, the dictator of South Korea, plans to use the 1988 Olympic Games for his political purpose going against the idea of the Olympic movement.

Fourthly, the South Korean people themselves are opposed to hosting the Olympic Games in Seoul.

In view of its purpose, the tense situation prevailing on the Korean peninsula and the sentiments of the South Korean people, it goes against the basic idea of the Olympiad to hold the Olympic Games in Seoul.

CSSR, SFRY Reject Seoul as Venue

SK271023 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1009 GMT 27 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 27 Nov (KCNA)--Chairman of the Central Committee of the Czechoslovak Union of Physical Culture Antonin Himl in his recent interview with a CTK reporter rejected the Seoul Olympiad.

He said:

The designation of Seoul as the venue of the 1988 Olympiad will be further discussed in the forthcoming talks.

We had already clearly declared in our speech in Mexico that it was a mistake to have designated Seoul as the venue of Olympiad and this decision would surely cause another trouble in the Olympic movement as a whole.

The Yugoslav paper POLITIKA November 7 said in an article titled "Scheduled Olympiad in Seoul Is a Political Mistake":

To hold Olympic Games in Seoul will be a political mistake and this will be a root cause of conflicts in opinions.

The International Olympic Committee's decision to hold Olympiad in Seoul will lead sports to a danger.

The boycott of the Los Angeles Olympiad by socialist countries proved right.

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INTER-KOREAN RELATIONS

DPRK WORKING PEOPLE HIT CHON'S KIDNEY SALES

SK230340 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0330 GMT 23 Nov 84

[Text] Pyongyang, 23 Nov (KCNA)--Working people across the country bitterly denounce the murderous act of the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique against fellow countrymen in selling kidneys of living men to Japanese.

Labor Hero Yun Sang-taek, chief of the steel sheet shop of the Hwanghae iron complex, said:

Upon hearing this news, the hearts of the steel-makers are afire with indignation at the puppet clique.

The puppets have traded off everything valuable of the nation to gratify their greed for power and enjoy personal wealth and glory and, as if this were not enough, cut off even living men's kidney and sell them off.

The puppets will have to pay dearly for this cursed treachery.

Cha Song Suk, chief of a room of the central sanitary and prevention station, had this to say:

It is an act of barbarians of the 20th century under human marks and an insult to mankind to cut off kidneys from living men.

We curse the Chon Tu-hwan clique, the colonial puppets, wag their tails, offering kidneys of living fellow countrymen to Japanese for their personal wealth and glory, discarding national dignity.

Yun On-chu, associate doctor of the Hamhung Plastic Surgery Hospital, sharply denounced the brutal crimes of the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique in selling off a large number of children abroad and cutting off even living men's kidneys without hesitation for money-making. He branded them as barbarous acts never to be condoned, which can be committed only by the puppet clique.

Ko Chon-sik, dean of the electric engineering faculty of Kim Chaek University of Technology, said:

In the past days, the traitor Pak Chong-hui made himself a target of curses by the nation by selling internal organs of dead men. But the Chon Tu-hwan clique far outdistance him by selling living men's kidneys.

This fact strips the Chon Tu-hwan clique stark naked as the meanest flunkeyist traitors.

The Chon Tu-hwan clique must promptly stop the never-to-be-condoned human-butchery and step down from power as demanded by the South Korean people.

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

CPRF FLAYS SOUTH FOR SELLING KIDNEYS TO JAPANESE

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[Text] Pyongyang, 22 Nov (KCNA)--The secretariat of the Committee for Peaceful Reunification of the Fatherland published information No 287 on November 21 denouncing the recently exposed criminal act of the South Korean flunkyst traitors in selling the kidneys of living men to Japanese blackguards.

Pointing out that the South Korean puppets, in contact with Japanese broking agencies in the sale of kidneys of living bodies based in Osaka, have cut off kidneys from young and sturdy South Koreans at the cheap price of 6 million yen for each on an average and transplanted them into Japanese patients brought to South Korea for three years, the information says:

This barbarous criminal act beyond the imagination of conscientious people is one more tragedy caused by the corrupt and ailing South Korean society and a human butchery that can be committed only by such traitors as Chon Tu-hwan who maintains his power by selling fellow countrymen.

Obsessed with greed for power and money, the South Korean puppets, clean indifferent to the improvement and stabilization of the people's living, cut off even vital organs from the people driven to the bottom of destitution and sell them to Japanese blackguards. What hideous blood suckers they are.

Yesterday they took off the live heart and kidney from Kim Tuk-ku, a South Korean boxer, who was still alive, though he fell unconscious in a boxing bout, and offered them to their U.S. master and today they cut off kidneys from living men and sell them to Japanese rogues systematically. These unpardonable crimes prove that the "human rights" and "humanism" advertised by the South Korean puppets are nothing but a windowdressing.

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

BRIEFS

PHONY SPY CASE DENOUNCED--Tokyo, 20 Nov (KNS-KCNA)--A meeting of Koreans in Japan was held in Tokyo on November 17 to denounce the fabrication of the "October 13 spy case of Japan-born Korean students" by the South Korean military fascist clique. The "Society of Families and Compatriots Overseas for Rescuing Japan-resident Korean Political Prisoners in South Korea, the sponsor organisation, declared that the fabrication of "spy cases" by the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique was aimed at diverting elsewhere the attention of the South Korean students and people who rose up in an anti-"government" struggle, hamstringing and thwarting their struggle and dampening the ardent desire of the people for reunification which grew intense with the realisation of the relief measure of the DPRK for the South Korean flood-sufferers. The secretary general of the organisation at the meeting said that a series of faked-up "spy cases" involving Koreans in Japan were offsprings of conspiracy of the South Korean puppet authorities and the Japanese public security authorities. He called for a powerful movement for saving the political prisoners involved in the cases. The meeting adopted a resolution on exposing the manufacture of "spy cases" by the puppet clique and fighting in demand of an immediate release of all the political prisoners. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 1005 GMT 22 Nov 84 SK]

RELIEF AID, TALKS HAILED--Pyongyang, 22 Nov (KCNA)--The Council for Democratization and Independent Unification of the country, an organization of Koreans in the United States, in a statement hailed the sending of relief goods of best wishes for the South Korean flood victims by the DPRK, saying that it was the first auspicious event to be seen in the nearly 40-year long history of national split. The statement carried in SINHAN MINBO, a newspaper of Koreans in the United States, on October 25 said: We hope that the kindred feelings and national bonds will be tightened with this as an occasion. We experienced in this the truth that no force could break the ties of kinship. This experience convinces us that warm compatriotic feelings interflow within our nation, transcending the difference in ideology, idea and system. If full justice is done to this experience, we believe, the misunderstanding and distrust between North and South will be dispelled and tension and confrontation will melt away to facilitate peaceful unification. Welcoming the North-South economic talks arranged with the realization of the relief measure taken by the DPRK, the statement called for bringing the economic talks to a success without fail and powerfully pushing ahead with the cause of national unification. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 0803 GMT 22 Nov 84 SK]

WINTER ARMY DRILL 'FLAYED'--Pyongyang, 24 Nov (KCNA)--The Chon Tu-hwan military fascist clique staged a "winter exercise" on a simulated attack on the northern half of the republic from November 19 to 21, according to a radio report from Seoul. The puppets mobilized in this war game puppet army units and planes, tanks and artillery pieces and drove them into an "attack battle", carrying for "destruction of the enemy at the initial stage of the war" and "perfection of the attacking posture." This sabre-rattling of the puppet clique is a treacherous act spoiling the good atmosphere of national unity, collaboration and exchange created between North and South and laying an artificial obstacle in the way of their realization. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 2328 GMT 23 Nov 84 SK]

'SELLING' OF CHILDREN DENOUNCED--Pyongyang, 24 Nov (KCNA)--The Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique plan to sell more children in the future, claiming that they would "totally open the overseas adoption of children" in the two years to come. This is an intolerable challenge to contemporary civilization and human conscience, says NODONG SINMUN today. In a signed commentary the paper says the South Korean puppets claim that the "overseas adoption of children" is something "inevitable" because the number of parents who "give up to foster their children" increases rapidly among poor people, in an attempt to justify their flesh traffic, it continues: As for the children who will be "adopted abroad," they are an outcome of the wrong social system of South Korea and the anti-popular rule of the pro-American, pro-Japanese flunkies. It is also a reflection of the difficult conditions of people's living that poor people "give up to raise their children." It is the puppets, in the long run, who produce "children who have to be traded off." They are selling poor children abroad as slaves instead of taking care of them and trying to justify it as something natural. This is a criminal act devoid of human morality. The children who are traded off are of our same nation not "commodities." [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 1009 GMT 24 Nov 84 SK]

WORKERS 'RIGHT TO UNIONIZE'--Pyongyang, 24 Nov (KCNA)--Over 250 garment workers of the Pyonghwa market in Seoul, in the teeth of repression by the military fascists, held a memorial service for the young worker Chon Tae-il in the cemetery of the Moran Park in Namyangju County, Kyonggi Province, at about noon on November 18, according to South Korean newspaper reports November 20. Attending the memorial service were more than 390 students and figures of various circles. Chon Tae-il died in self-immolation in November 1970 in protest against the anti-popular system, after burning the "working standard act," an evil labor act justifying oppression and exploitation of workers, on the scene of a demonstration of workers for vital rights and democratic liberties. The workers, students and public figures attending the memorial service called down curses on the heads of the fascist clique who had driven Chon Tae-il into death, paying their homage to the young worker who resisted exploitation and oppression with death. On November 19 two garment workers of the Pyonghwa market scattered more than 300 copies of a leaflet titled "Allow Formation of Regional Trade Unions," demanding the freedom of formation of trade unions. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 0813 GMT 24 Nov 84 SK]

ANTI-COMMUNIST LEAGUE DENOUNCED--Pyongyang, 24 Nov (KCNA)--The South Korean puppets on November 21 held an "anti-communist scientific forum" by setting in motion the "anti-communist league", their subsidized organisation, in connection with the "progress of North-South dialogue", according to a radio report from Seoul. The puppets openly blared that the "forum" was aimed at inculcating "anti-communist consciousness" in the minds of the people and fostering among them "the security-oriented view of the situation" and "capacity to criticize communism." This shows what uneasiness the South Korean puppets feel in face of the trend of the time in which a new stage was set for North-South dialogue and an atmosphere for reunification created with the delivery of our relief goods for the South Korean flood-sufferers as an occasion. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 0807 GMT 24 Nov 84 SK]

'DEFENSE MINISTER'S' REMARKS--Pyongyang, 24 Nov (KCNA)--The South Korean puppet defence minister, at an "year-end meeting of leading commanders of the whole army" held on November 22, came out again with the worn-out fiction of "surprise attack on the South", maliciously slandering our consistent peaceful stand as a "camouflaged peace offensive", according to a radio report from Seoul. He let loose a torrent of provocative words, crying for "establishment of a combat posture." His utterances were part of the criminal attempts of the puppets to incite hostile feelings against the northern half of the republic among the South Korean people by whipping up war hysteria, while justifying their aggression moves in new war preparations. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 0330 GMT 24 Nov 84 SK]

WFTU DENOUNCES 'WORKER SUPPRESSION'--Pyongyang, 26 Nov (KCNA)--The World Federation of Trade Unions issued a statement denouncing the Chon Tu-hwan fascist clique for the suppression of the working people and youth, according to a report from Prague November 25. The statement vehemently castigated the Chon Tu-hwan fascist clique for cracking down upon the South Korean working people and youth who are struggling for democratic rights and liberties. The statement called upon the working people and trade union organisations of all countries of the world to resolutely protest against the suppressive policy of the Chon Tu-hwan fascist clique and express solidarity with the just struggle of the democratic forces of South Korea. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 1009 GMT 26 Nov 84 SK]

SOUTH'S LABOR PROBLEMS--Pyongyang, 27 Nov (KCNA)--MINJOK SIBO, a newspaper of Japan-resident Koreans under the influence of the "ROK Residents Association in Japan" (MINDAN), November 11 carried the second declaration issued by the clothing workers of the Pyonghwa market in Seoul in the name of the Chonggye Clothing Workers Union on September 27. Noting that the large-scale demonstration held by them shouting the slogan "Revise the evil law on labour and recognize the Chonggye Workers Union" was a victory of the truth that the rights of the workers can be won only through their struggle, the declaration says: In this course we confirmed again the inhumanity and violent nature of the "government" authorities. Having clearly realized the falsehood of the honeyed words of the "government" authorities and their violent nature we clarify that we will redouble our energy against them and show our firmer determination and more intensified action and declare that we will fight with all our efforts to the last one until the evil law on

labour is revised and the Chonggye Workers Union recognized. The declaration calls upon all the democratic forces to actively respond to the struggle of the workers for democratic freedom and right to existence. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 0804 GMT 27 Nov 84 SK]

SOUTH'S LABOR STRUGGLES SUPPORTED--Tokyo, 26 Nov (KNS-KCNA)--Meetings supporting the South Korean Workers' struggle against fascism and for democracy were held in different parts of Japan on November 13 on the lapse of 14 years since Chon Tae-il who was a young clothing worker of the Pyonghwa market in Seoul burned himself to death in demand of democratic freedom and right to existence. At a meeting held in Tokyo under the sponsorship of the "Metropolitan Liaison Council for Japan-South Korea People's Solidarity" the reporter called for strengthening the struggle against the Chon Tu-hwan fascist clique engrossed in suppressing the South Korean workers' struggle, and waging a vigorous movement for support to and solidarity with their struggle against fascism and for democracy. A meeting was held under the sponsorship of the "Osaka Society for Japan-Korea Joint Struggle" in Osaka. A Lecture was given at the meeting on the subject "The present conditions of the South Korean labour movement". The attendants evinced the firm determination to express active support to and solidarity with the South Korean workers in the struggle against fascism and for democracy. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 0803 GMT 28 Nov 84 SK]

SOUTH'S DISSIDENTS ANTIGOVERNMENT GROUP--Pyongyang, 28 Nov (KCNA)--MINJOK SIBO, a newspaper of Japan-resident Koreans under the influence of the "ROK Residents Association in Japan" (MINDAN), November 11 introduced the inaugural declaration of the "National Committee for Democracy and Unification" was formed as a practical body for uniting the democratic forces to accomplish the great cause of national unification, decisively rejecting the present humiliating conditions. We solemnly declare that we will struggle in an indomitable spirit until democracy has been realised and the barrier of national division pulled down, stressed the declaration. We, it noted, actively support and jointly take part in the movement of youth, students, workers, peasants and ordinary citizens for democracy, people's life and human rights. [Text] [Pyongyang KCNA in English 0809 GMT 28 Nov 84 SK]

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S. KOREA/SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

KIST'S ELECTRONIC DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES SURVEYED

Seoul HANGUK KYONGJE SINMUN in Korean 25 Oct 84 p 8

[Article by Kang Yong-hyon]

[Text] The Center for Computer Development of the Korean Institute of Science and Technology, which has been taking a central role in the development of industrial information for our nation, is an institution that is developing and applying only the software of the most modern technology that can lead the national software industries.

"We do not intend to develop software that can be produced by other industries, whether by government industries or by private companies. We are participating in developing software which are difficult to be produced in domestic software production industries, by ordering software through free contracts or by international competitive bids." Mr Song, the director of the center, added that the center never intended to develop the areas which would be competed for by domestic industries. However, the center provides the development services that domestic industries have requested for the transmission of technology.

Based on this research, most of the software the KIST Center for Computer Development has been developing so far is of public character.

However, recently, the center have been developing and distributing large [software] systems as research requests from the industries have increased. The major examples are as follows: software for the management of construction processes (ASADAL); a general hospital management system (MEDIOS); a tall-building design system (BUILDS); a system for structural design (KISTRAS) and a computerized system for sport events (GIONS).

ASADAL, a software system which was developed for use in the management of construction by our construction companies for projects in foreign countries, was developed at a moderate price in order to meet the needs of both domestic and foreign construction sites.

The ASADAL system consists mainly of five modules, namely, constant management, personnel labor management, equipment management, material management, and cost

management. These modules are controlled by the programs built in a micro-computer system installed at the construction sites.

When the data generated before and after construction are inputted by an operator according to the modules, they are revised and screened by an information screening program, they are also stored in the data base of the [construction] site. Then, this data is analyzed by the control program according to each module and prepared in the form various reports and statistical tables.

The ASADAL system can be used not only above, but also in connection with the computer of the main company. Thus a variety of information, such as sub-contractors and the status of construction material stored in the data base of main office, can be easily used at construction sites.

Kim Mun-hyon, a senior researcher in the area of software engineering, says that by combining ASADAL and the system for structural design (BUILDS/KISTRAS), "The construction of a comprehensive system for advancing construction technologies is planned." Also, a strengthening of the graphic treatment area by forming a network connected to the main computer through telecommunications and by developing and supplementing the estimate system is being considered.

In the meantime, MEDIOS system, one of the software systems that the KIST computer development center developed and distributed, has been very popular in the medical field.

The MEDIOS system, which is presently being introduced and operated in the Chungang University Hospital, the Korea Hospital, the Suncheonhyang Hospital, the Nursing Hospital and the Hospital for Radioactive Treatment, establishes an efficient flow of information so that patients can receive convenient treatment by the most rapid and precise method when they come to the hospital.

The MEDIOS software establishes two information management systems by dividing hospital information largely into two groups that is, in terms of the information's nature. One system is similar to the administrative information management systems in private industries, systems which manage the inventory, personnel, payroll, planning, budget, and accounting. The other system is a medical treatment information management system which deals with the reception and release of inpatients, outpatients, and pharmaceuticals.

The biggest strength of the MEDIOS software that the KIST computer development center has developed is its ability to package hospital information management so that it can be operated by an on-line system. Also, another one of MEDIOS' strengths is its turnkey application to the domestically produced hardware. In addition, the KIST development team for hospital information management developed a convenient hospital management system which can be used on a personal computer at the general clinic level. This system, called BONGMEDIOS, is a "simple and convenient package for users," said Kim Bong-il, the head of the computer development department.

The KIST computer development center is also training high quality manpower, those who are needed for research and software development in order to automate nation through the development of the major softwares.

The KIST computer development center, which has a total of 227 reserachers in 11 reserch groups, including the team for automation, is promoting 11 research projects in 4 areas this year.

Among the special research projects being carried out are the development of a comprehensive computerized system for the [1988] Olympic; the development of a Korean-Japanese and Japanese-Korean automated translation system; the development of a system for advancing construction technology; and the development of a meteorological system best suited to Korea. As government requested projects there are developments for the improvement city traffic systems, developments of model adminstrative computerized systems, and plans for a comprehensive commodity flow district.

In addition to these tasks, the center is carrying out projects requested from domestic industrial areas and the project of developing data banks for the Saudi National Science Research Institute. The director, Mr Song, pointed out that "the center will gradually become involved in developing software that will be used in foreign countries."

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DAILY ON PARTY'S DUTY TO AID FUNCTIONARIES

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[NODONG SINMUN 25 special article: "Aiding Functionaries Well in Carrying out Their Revolutionary Duties Is the Important Duty of Party Organizations"]

[Text] Dear Comrade Kim Chong-il [title as heard] has elucidated in a general manner the questions that arise as party organizations help functionaries to fulfill their duties to the party and the revolution by aiding and guiding the functionaries well.

The functionaries are the leading members of the revolution who directly organize and put works into practice to accomplish the party's lines and policies. The work to accomplish the party decisions and directives, which were put forth at every period, is operated, assigned, and pushed ahead by the functionaries.

Party organizations have the duty to lead the activities of the functionaries who operate state affairs with responsibility from a party standpoint. Under the dear Comrade Kim Chong-il's tested leadership, the combat capabilities and functions of party organizations have been remarkably increased in recent years and the work system, in which work with people is regarded as basic, has been firmly established throughout the entire party. In particular, correct work order and discipline have been established which helps functionaries to close their ranks firmly, to improve their politico-administrative qualifications endlessly, and helps all functionaries to defend their revolutionary guard posts firmly. This serves as a firm foundation on which all party organizations can achieve continued progress in all fields and units of the revolution and construction by vigorously mobilizing functionaries.

All party organizations should strenuously push ahead with the struggle to accomplish the revolutionary lines of the Sixth Party Congress and the decisions of the ninth plenary meeting of the sixth party Central Committee by aiding and leading functionaries well, upholding the tasks put forth by dear Comrade Kim Chong-il.

Comrade Kim Chong-il, member of the Political Bureau Presidium and secretary of the party Central Committee, has noted: Party organizations should aid economic functionaries well so that they can carry out economic organizational work and command over production with an attitude befitting masters of the revolution, while firmly adhering to and vigorously pushing ahead with economic work.

Above all, party organizations should carry out work with functionaries, thereby further increasing their revolution-mindedness, party spirit, working-class spirit, and people-mindedness. Revolution-mindedness, party spirit, working-class spirit, and people-mindedness are the intrinsic ideological and spiritual characteristics of communist revolutionaries and are an important ethos which our functionaries ought to possess. When functionaries possess party spirit and people-mindedness, they can remain faithful to the party and the revolution to the end and can fulfill their mission and duty as leading members of the revolution and dutiful servants of the people.

Increasing revolution-mindedness, party spirit, working-class spirit, and people-mindedness among functionaries is an important demand to vigorously accelerate production and construction at the present time. When the leading members of the revolution correctly organize and mobilize the masses at the head of their ranks with endless loyalty to the party and the revolution and the spirit of devoted service to the working class and people, they can normalize [chukkyoseugo] economic work and successfully accomplish the 10 major prospective targets of socialist economic construction for the 1980's. This shows that the stepping up of the functionaries' ideological life in the party organization by various-level party organizations and the substantial carrying out of work with functionaries by party organizations is very important in achieving constant upsurges in socialist construction.

An important question arising in increasing the party spirit and people-mindedness of functionaries is the firm establishment of a revolutionary view of the world among them. Loyalty to the party and the revolution and the spirit of devoted service to the working class and people are the revolutionary spirit based on a revolutionary view of the world.

When the revolutionary view of the world is firmly established, the ethos of exerting oneself to work vigorously to accomplish party lines and policies, to observe self-consciously the state's legal order and regulations, and to remove even the slightest inconvenience in the working people's daily lives can be loftily displayed.

Those functionaries in whom the revolutionary view of the world is not firmly established cannot faithfully serve the party, the revolution, the working class, and the people nor can they fulfill their duty as leading members of the revolution. Only when various-level party organizations arm the functionaries firmly with the revolutionary view of the world by intensifying their study and organizational lives can the functionaries unhesitatingly go through fire and water--should they be called on to do so by the party and the leader--and can they devotedly struggle as standardbearers of the ranks on the road to accomplishing the party's intentions.

Also, as the anti-Japanese guerrillas unit commanders did in the past, they can actively struggle to make the working people's material, aesthetic, and working life more abundant, enjoyable, and rewarding while always mingling with the people, listening carefully to their aspirations and demands, and having those aspirations and demands realized on a timely basis.

Having all functionaries highly display in this manner party spirit and people-mindedness based on the chuche-oriented revolutionary view of the world is the important task being presently put forth by our party center to in party organizations substantially carrying out party organizations. An important question of their work is the establishment of a revolutionary ethos of accomplishing without fail the revolutionary tasks assigned to the functionaries.

The faithful accomplishment of their assigned revolutionary tasks by functionaries is an honorable work in thoroughly implementing the lines and policies put forth by the party and the leader and in consummating the revolutionary cause of chuche, and is a noble work in fulfilling their duties as party members.

The organizational activities of functionaries that are designed to accomplish the assignments given by the party and their struggle to fulfill their revolutionary duties to the party are works to implement their assigned revolutionary tasks. Thus, the establishment by party organizations of the revolutionary ethos of smoothly fulfilling their basic duty to the functionaries is significant in functionaries endlessly glorifying their honor as revolutionaries and in excellently accomplishing all works in all sectors and units of the revolution and construction.

One of the important ways of establishing the ethos with which functionaries accomplish without fail their assigned revolutionary tasks is to closely combine their party life with the accomplishment of revolutionary tasks.

The party life of party members and their accomplishment of revolutionary tasks are not separate works. Leading a party life while closely combining it with the accomplishment of revolutionary tasks is an essential demand in the intrinsic nature of party life itself. The goal of stepping up party life among party members is not just for the sake of the goal itself, but is to have party members smoothly accomplish their assigned revolutionary tasks by tempering them organizationally and ideologically.

When party organizations closely combine functionaries' organizational and ideological life with the accomplishment of their revolutionary tasks in all parts of party life, including study, accomplishment of assignments, and party meetings, functionaries can always energetically and vigorously carry out all works and successfully accomplish any works with the energetic will to carry them out with skillful ability. In particular, functionaries can always work solely in conformity with the party's intentions and remain loyal to the party and the revolution to the end by regularly reviewing how they are fulfilling their basic duty through party life with a lofty view of the organization and by making up for that which has proven unsatisfactory in accomplishing their basic duty in a timely manner.

N.KOREA/FOREIGN RELATIONS

BRIEFS

METAL INDUSTRY DELEGATION--On 15 November, Willi Stoph, chairman of the GDR Council of Ministers, met with a delegation from the metal industry of our country headed by Choe Man-hyon, minister of metal industry. At the meeting, chairman of the Council of Ministers pointed out that Comrade Kim Il-song's recent visit to the GDR was an epochal event which developed the fraternal cooperative relations between the two countries into a new higher stage. He further noted expansion and development of economic cooperation between the two countries. He wished the Korean people greater success in their struggle to implement the decisions of the Sixth WPK Congress under the wise leadership of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song. The talks proceeded in an amicable atmosphere. Present at the meeting were the GDR minister of ore mining, metallurgy and potash and the ambassador of our country to the GDR. [Text] [Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 1100 GMT 20 Nov 84 SK]

N.KOREA-CSSR SIGN PROTOCOL--A protocol on the fifth session of the consultative committee on the economy and science and technology between the governments of the DPRK and the CSSR was signed in Prague on 16 November. Vice Premier Kong Chin-tae from our side and Vice Premier Jaromir Obzina from the CSSR side signed the protocol. [Text] Pyongyang Domestic Service in Korean 2300 GMT 19 Nov 84 SK]

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